THE Tomorrow

Does crime really pay? In Saturday tomorrow the winning entry in The Times / Veuve Cliquot Short Crime Story Competition. On the travel front: A motoring holiday in Scotland and life in the United Arab Emirates. In Values, a break-down on how to get your possessions cleaned, dyed, and refurbished. Also included in the eight-page arts and leisure section pub-lished each Saturday with The Times are news and views of the coming week's events in the arts and the

Referendum to decide on reforms

The South African Govern-ment's proposals for consti-tutional reform, involving three houses of parliament for whites, Coloureds and Asians, but not including Africans, were presented yesterday.

The Minister for Consti-tutional Development expects the proposals to be passed in the current session of the whitesonly Parliament, but said that they would not become law until passed by a majority of white voters at a referendum Details, page (

Reagan saved on treeze vote

President Reagan was saved from another setback on the nuclear front by a Republican amendment which lessened the Representatives resolution for a mutual freeze

Oil venture

BP and a consortium led by Phillips Petroleum are to develop the Andrew oil field. which has estimated reserves of 140 million barrels, 120 miles from Aberdeen page 15

Bank doubts

Lord Richardson, Governor of the Bank of England, questioned the wisdom of allowing huilding societies to compete directly with banks and insurance companies Page 15

Khyber trip

Princess Anne completed her visit to Pakistan yesterday by travelling up the Khyber Pass close to the Afghanistan border

Irish protest

The Irish Government has formally protested to Britian about criticism about Irish unity by Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence. Uproar in Dial, page

Jaguar roaring

Jaguar Cars is considering the reintroduction of a night shift at its Coventry plant to cope with record sales. Production will reach an estimated 28,000 cars

A £1.9m suit

An anonymous New York collector paid £1,925,000 at Sotherby's for a suit of armour made about 1550 for King Henry II of France in a £4m sale of pieces from Hever Castle



Comfort, and Mr Eric Jacobs; rates, from Mr Geoffrey Rippon. QC, MP, Lech Walesa, from Fr Dominic Kirkham Leading articles: Edwin Meese's Lecture: The Tudeh Party; Two Germanys

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By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor Labour Party strategists will emerge as the largest party in formalize their plans today to the Commons. Mr Foot would win 105 key marginal seats then be obliged to seek an which would take them within accommodation with the striking distance of a parliamen-smaller parties, or form a minority administration. Campaign organization for the general election is expected last general election are impossion dominate the two-day libe because of extensive summit of the Left', bringing changes in the boundaries of together the Shadow Cabinet, many constituencies. But using union leaders and the party's the authoritative calculations Midlands and nine in the politically-volatile union leaders and the party's the authoritative calculations national executive at the Wood- for the new parliament pub-General, Municipal. Boiler- Politics by Mr Robert Waller makers and Allied Trades (Croom Helm £12.95), the marginals strategy, if successful

Strategy papers for the would give Labour 313 seats in conference in the possession of a 650-seat House of Commons. The Times list the "target" The Tories would become the marginals. Fifty-four were with second largest party, with 306

Tory initiative on

election may

be lost, MPs fear

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor

elections to be seen as the

gment she values highly. Others

may also attend.

The evidence is that this

She takes the view that weekend meetings with senior ministers, which first took place regularly in the relaxed setting of Chequers during the Falklands war and have been repeated from time to time since, are specially valuable and the does not intend to be the advisability of a June election. She has been seeking and recurring, at the earliest, by and receiving unsought informal advice for weeks.

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she does not intend to be. The reason why no one so far to end with a state banquet on deprived of the chance of a first has been able to detect her the Monday night which she is detailed consideration, in the intentions is that up to last said to be reluctant to miss.

Labour strategists meet to

plan marginal seats attack

Conservative MPs, after a light of today's local election week of growing excitement at results, of the election options, the prospect of a June general Those in the party who a

election, were by last night week ago were complaining that seriously concerned that the it was unwise of the Prime Prime Minister might have lost Minister to allow the local

They believe that the asprologue to an announcement, sembly of senior advisers at now make the same complaint Chequers on Sunday, and the about Chequers.

Chequers on Sunday, and the fact that it is known, may make imperative an announcement by Mrs Margaret Thatcher early next week.

If so, and if her preference after full consideration is to go to the country in late June, then she is in danger of giving the Opposition parties six or seven weeks' notice of an election.

She has had strong advice from within the party that to give more than the four weeks' notice required by statute would whitelaw, deputy leader of the

notice required by statute would Whitelaw, deputy leader of the particularly help the Liberals party, Mr Cecil Parkinson, and Social Democrats, who can party chairman, and Sir Geof-

expect increased exposure to public view during a campaign.

It is now known that Mrs
Thatcher received advice from Mr Michael Jopling. Chief

That here received advice from Mr Michael Jopling. Chief some quarters earlier in the Whip, and Mr Ian Gow, the week to cancel the Chequers Prime Miniser's parliamentary consultations so that this danger private secretary, whose jud-

might be avoided, but she was

She takes the view that

by Conservatives in the May seats.

1979 poll, two by nationalists
and 49 by Labour. They must internal party anxiety about the be retained if Mr Michael Foot possible impact of SDP influis to have any chance of ence in 15 constituencies, becoming Prime Minister.

If Labour's plan to win all the South-west, East Midlands those "category A" constitu- and new towns around the encies succeeds, Labour would capital.

Labour's campaign paper also undermines the conventional wisdom that the party sees the West Midlands as pivotal to its election hopes. Only three Conservative seats are identified in that region as target constituencies, compared with twice as many in the East

night she had formed none. In

showed a weary contempt as the

twice-weekly probing was tried. When Mr Michael Foot asked

his question did not merit a

straw was in the wind yesterday after Mr Edwin Meese, a senior

This intelligence intensified discussion at Westminster of the feasibility of an election on

June 9, the earliest possible date

and one that many Conserva-

The majority view was that

the American visit so late in a

campaign would be possible but

on balance unwise, since three

full campaigning days, exclud-ing Sunday, would be lost and two others partly lost.

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tives favour.

western area. The list, drawn up by David Hughes, national agent of the party, in consultation with Labour's local agents, is supplemented by a "B" category table of just over 80 seats that would only be winnable in a landslide for the Left.

This table is certain to be revised in the light of yesterday's local elections, and in any event some of the seats i includes come into the wishfulthinking category - such as Banbury which has a Tory majority of 13,000.

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Fault found |£350m for Britain in **Robin Hood charter**

The European Commission The Royal Navy has had to withdraw a frigate from service in the North Atlantic because of cracking in its upper deck. The ship. HMS Amazon, is one of

The plan, which would basically take more from the because of the problem of The problem in the Type 21s rich countries to give to the has been known about for 18 poor, could reduce Britain's months, and a programme had been instituted for strengthening them one at a time. Work implemented now, that would ing them one at a time. Work implemented on HMS Arrow has been mean a saving virtually completed though she over the year. mean a saving of about £350m The plan was necessary, Mr Gaston Thorn, the Commission

is still at Devonport dockyard. HMS Amazon was scheduled to go into Devonport for refit in president, said, because the August, but has had to be prematurely withdrawn from Community was on the point of running out of money, owing to service, apparently because the "a disturbing increase" problem in her has developed agricultural expenditure. It was either more rapidly or more also high time for a better seriously than had been fore-balance to be found between revenue and expenditure. The plan does not include specific

The Type-21 was designed by Vosper Thornycroft in collaboration with Yarrow, and was the money will be spent. years to be designed for the Royal Navy by commercial firms rather than by the Ministry of Defence's own design teams.

in deck

of frigate

By Rodney Cowton

Defence Correspondent

cracking.

A controversial feature of the design was the use of alumininium in the upper parts of the ship, and it is believed to be in the aluminium that the cracking has occurred. .

HMS Ambuscade, a 2.815ton Type 21 frigate, was in collision with a 5.760-ton American cruiser, the USS broke down yesterday.

presented its new "Robin Commission's argument is that Hood's charter" in Brussels there must be an increase in the yesterday, setting out what it amount of money available for described as the only possible the Community budget. The solution for saving the EEC Commission therefore wants from bankruptcy. If accepted by member states to increase the ship. HMS Amazon, is one of member states, it would insure the states in the Royal crease the Community's ability revenue they pay into the have their hulls strengthened present levels.

Such an increase would have to be approved by parliaments in all member states, but the Commission is asking that future increases could be agreed, when necessary, by the Council and the European

> The second main plank is to hold agricultural spending down to no more than a third of the total budget. Any extra money would have to be raised by a "modulated" value-added tax. which would take into account both the relative prosperity of member states and the amount of agricultural produce each was

Details of plan, page 7

League may lose sponsor's £3m offer

the biggest in British sport. "We are further away from depends on the outcome of talks reaching agreement than we between the club chairmen and have ever been in the last seven

new promises on how the extra

The Football League announced yesterday that Canon offer, worth a total of £5.4m there were a significantly lower over the next two seasons. League for £3m over the next John Bromley, the head of next season, then we would three years. But the contract, sport at London Weekend, said: have to look at the situation the biggest in British sport. "We are further away from again."

after hearing the decision, ously we will look at whether schemes.

the television companies, which months. Football has got to a year under the sponsorship broke down yesterday.

months. Football has got to a year under the sponsorship realize that it is no longer one of deal, £10,000 for those in the American cruiser, the USS Dale, while they were on joint exercises in the Indian Ocean on April 27. The Ambuscade's bows were damaged, and she is being repaired in Bombay. The USS Dale was holed on the port side.

The chairmen, who met in the great sports on television. It first division, £6,000 for the has lost its way and is gradually strangling itself to death."

Martin Walter, the chairman money of £214,000 is also offered as well as money for television deal is agreed, obvision deal is agreed, obvision safety and youth solve the whather severage.



Paris clashes: Small businessmen demonstrating against the Government's austerity measures yesterday break through police barricades.

Shelling in Beirut worst since siege

From Katherine Dourian Beirut

Just when it appeared that diplomatic efforts to bring peace to Lebanon might bear fruit, Beirut came under the beaviest shelling vesterday since the Israeli siege last summer. Both Christian and Manifer context of the capital Muslim sectors of the capital and its outskirts were struck by 120mm, shells and morter

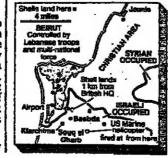
At least eight people were killed and 22 others wounded in the shelling that began without warning at 11.45am local time, catching most residents by surprise. One man was reportedly killed when a rocket smashed through his bathroom wall, killing him instantly as he bathed

A US Marine Hney-type helicopter that took off from Beirut airport on a reconnaissance flight to determine the source of the shelling came under fire and had to turn back after the shots punched three holes into it. Colonel James Mead, commander of the US Marine contingent of the international peacekeeping force, was in the aircraft but neither he nor the pilot was

Major Fred Lasth, a spokes-man for the Marines, said the 50 calibre rounds were fired from the mountain village of Souk el Gharb in the Israeli-occupied Aley district. The village is a stronghold of the Christian militia.

The shelling came after fighting had intensified this week between the right-wing Christian Lebanese Forces an the left-wing Druze of the Socialist Progressive Party. The fighting had been concentrated mainly in the mountains south-east of Beirut, occasionally spilling over to the south-eastern suburbs.

● LONDON: Mr Nicholas Barrington, head of the British interests section at the Swedish Embassy in Tehran since 1981, has been appointed Ambassa-der to Lebanon in succession to Sir David Roberts who is retiring.



Television row goes on

Thatcher rejects Soviet proposals for missiles

By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

weapons. "For the Soviet Union to suggest that and leave

out of account her own strategic

weapons is meant to delude the

British public. It must not

Atter Mr Roy Jenkins, leader

succeed in doing so," she said.

of the Social Democratic Party, had remarked that the Andro-pov move had been much more

cooly received in London than in Washington, Mrs Thatcher

welcomed the apparent Soviet

concession on warheads, "That

is what Nato has always

wanted. That particular part of

proposal is to

She said she would not

encourage President Reagan to take the advice of the House of

Representatives in its vote

yesterday to support a nuclear freeze. That, she said, would

freeze in the superiority of the

Soviet Union and hinder the

objective of those who wanted

genuine disarmament with

"To abandon our deterrent

would be one-sided disarma-

ment. The deterrent is the first

and most important part of our defence."

reductions on both sides.

Mrs Margaret Thatcher yesterday rejected Soviet proposals to include the British strategic nuclear force within the Geneva talks over intermediate nuclear forces, although she welcomed the offer by Mr Andropov, the Soviet leder, to negotiate about the numbers of warheads rather

As it was announced that MPs would be having a debute next Tuesday and Wednesday on defence and disarmament, Mr Thatcher and Mr Michael Foot, the Labour leader, clashed in the Commons over the Government's response to the Soviet move.

The Prime Minister said that the British nuclear deterrent was at the "irreducible mini-mum" after Mr. Foot had argued that if the Government blocked the proposal to include the British nuclear force in the talks, the conference might be wrecked. He later described Mrs Thatcher's response as "hopelessly inadequate".

Mrs Thatcher had said it was

totally wrong to suggest that Britain's last resort submarinebased nuclear weapons should be included in the INF talks which were about land-based

Control of cruise is clarified

By Rodney Cowton Defence Correspondent

The controversy over the deployment of cruise missiles has led to clarification of the 1951 agreement with the United States governing the use of

the agreement for joint de-cision-taking would apply to cruise missiles, not only on their bases at Greenham Common and Molesworth, but also when deployed up to 100 miles away in times of tension.

The Government has rejected demands for "dual-key" control because it is satisfied with the 1951 agreement. However, it is understood that persistent questioning about the precise details of the agreement led to consultations with the American Government to make certain that it satisfactorily covered the mobile cruise missiles.

Until now the standard public reference to the 1951 agreement by the Prime Minister and others has been to the effect that the use of bases in Britain for mounting nuclear operations in an emergency would be a matter for joint decision by the Government and the United States Government in the light of the circumstances prevailing at the time.

However, it has been suggested that cruise missiles might be dispersed up to 100 miles from their bases. Mr Michael Heseltine, Sec.

retary of State for Defence, said in Parliament on Tuesday that the 1951 agreement "specifically provides that no weapons or bases used by the Americans under agreements with us will be used without the joint decision of the President and

Students attack French police

From Diana Geddes

Police used teargas and batons in violent clashes with two big demonstrations in Paris yesterday. One involved some 20,000 shopkeepers and other owners of small businesses, protesting against price controls and other austerity measures, the second an estimated 8,000 students protesting against planned reforms of higher education.

The clash with the students was once again provoked by a small minority of extreme right-wingers, wearing crash helmets wingers, wearing crash nemers and scarves over their faces, who attacked the assembled riot police near the Pont d'Austeritz in the Fourth Arrondissement with Molotov cocktails and stones. Similar incidents occurred last Friday.

The police responded with tear gas grenades, backed up by water cannons, while police motorcylists gave chase down the narrow streets near the Jardin des Plantes, where some students had erected barricades of burning tyres. First reports indicated that about 30 students were arrested. Three policemen

The incidents broke out towards the end of the demonstowards the end of the neurons-tartion at about 6 p.m. Earlier, thousands of students, mostly from Paris, but also from the provinces, had marched peace-fully under banners insisting on their apolitical character.

"Neither Right nor Left, but united against the reform", the banners proclaimed, while stu-dents chanted the slogan that has become almost a signature tune of their demonstrations: "Hot, hot, the spring will be hot!

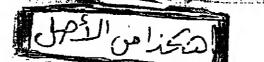
The clash with the shopkeepers, cafe owners, hair-dressers, and other small businessmen came as demon-strators tried to break through police lines in an attempt to reach the headquarters of the government office of Trade and Commerce on the Quai Branly.

The enraged demonstrators harled stones and other objects at the police, and erected a barricade across the Avenue Bosquet with paving stones and other material from nearby

As The mass protests continued throughout France, M Minister, insisted that there was no-question of the Government's accepting any "slippage" in its economic targets. He hinted strongly at the possible introduction of new, even more stringent, austerity measures.

"The Mauroy plan, mark three, is still in force," he said in an interview with Agence France Presse. "I believe in the policy that I am pursuing. I am determined that it will succeed, and I am convinced that it will"





Miss Beverley Brooke, who gave birth to a baby boy while she was on a life support machine in hospital, kept a dary detailing the events of the last few weeks before she died.

Miss Brooke, aged 19, died on Wednesday when doctors at Leeds General Infirmary turned off the machine 24 hours after her baby was born by caesarean

She describes in her diary the urting with the baby's father, sho is not named. And she alks of her expectation that she was going to die as her head pains, double vision and dizziness grew worse in the month leading to the baby's birth.

Mrs Noelene Colley, Miss Brooke's mother, who lives at Dewsbury, said: "I have found Beverley's diary, but most of the contents are private.

She describes the events of was in hospital several times. but she discharged herself because she was not happy with the treatment she was getting. She told me she knew she was uning to die,"

Mrs Colley is calling for an inquiry into the case.

London taxi

fares to go up

London taxi fares will go up
from May 29. Mr William Whitelaw, the Home Secretary announced yesterday. The new tirst 618 yards or two minutes.

The rate will then be 10p for each 309 yards or one minute ux seconds up to six miles and On for each 210 yards, or 48 seconds, thereafter. Except for the charge for hirings after midnight which will rise from 40p to 60p, the extra charges will remain unchanged.

Dock strike is over

A seven-week strike by 2,300 dock workers at Tilbury ended vesterday with both sides in the dispute claiming victory.

The men voted to return to work saying their claim for parity with white collar workers overseas has so outstripped had been met, but the Port of production that the company London Authority say it has not may be forced to introduce a

Housekeeper gives up home

Mrs Adah Penny, aged 55, the £2.50-a-week housekeeper dismissed by the Dowager Lady Radnor after seeking a pay rise,

the county court at Salisbury. Wiltshire, today by Lady Rad-

Candidate for Livingston

Mr Robin Cook, a Labour kenn's name had been actively 64 per cent on April, 1982, and anvassed, (Anthony Bevins equal to six months sales in rites). 1980. From 3,000 that year, US

Coal industry must abandon hopeless pits, chairman says

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

Mr Norman Siddall, chairvesterday began a process of efficient new capacity we must softening-up militant opinion pull out of the hopeless pits among the miners, warning which are preventing the industhem that "we must pull of the try from adapting itself to the hopeless pits".

Addressing the conference of the traditionally moderate coal, too expensively. In saying Lancashire colliers, he said: that I am not blaming the men "We are producing too much coal, too expensively". The coal glutt is likely to promt the closure of 15 pits with the loss of 15,000 jobs in 1983-84.

the weeks before her death. She unionists you do not enjoy conditions." seeing employment in the Since 1974-75 the industry industry coming down. You had closed 63 pits employing naturally want there to be as about 23,000 men, but alternamany jobs as possible in tive jobs had been provided for

customer will be prepared to pay; jobs based on the highest efficiency we can achieve, in other words, jobs men will feel

The coal board does not expect any improvement in the overall demand for coal over the next year, and says that the nariff will incorporate a mini-mum fare of 60p (including a hiring charge of 40p) for the projections of demand drawn up with the previous Labour

Government.
The NCB has spent £3,125m on modernizating deep mines, and will spend a further £745m this year as part of the longterm plan to bring into pro-duction 42 million tonnes of

Mr Siddall added: "At the man of the National Coal Board same time as we create highly needs of the market.

"We are producing too much working in the problem pits. Over and over again we see the skill and effort of first-class men being wasted because of the physical problems, while else-"I know that as trade where we are creating excellent

tive jobs had been provided for about 15,000 and only 5,900 "But they have to be real men had been made redundant. jobs, paying for themselves in coal at prices the and more than 90 per cent were aged 55 and over.

> The board's policy would be to treat as generously as possible everyman who was no onger able to continue working, Mr Siddall said.

Addressing the same conference. Mr David Lea, assistant general secretary of the TUC, said: "The last four year shave seen an unprecedented battering of our nationalized industries.

"We are now told that four years of this mayhem is only the beginning. We have been warned. If this lot get back, the mayhem of the next four year will make the past four look like merely a slight difference of opinion."

Jaguar sales boom may bring nightshift

Jaguar Cars' remarkable re- sales rose to 4,200 in 1981 and covery from losses of £2m a month only two years ago to record sales at home and

night shift more than a year earlier than planned. The Coventry plant has not Jaguar admit, however, that it is operated a nightshift for more starting from a very small base. than four years. But production has increased from 14,000 cars in 1980 to 22,000 last year and will reach an estimated 28,000 this year. A peak production of

32,000 cars was reached in the Radnor after seeking a pay rise, it is given up her home to avoid eviction proceedings.

A tribunal had rejected Mrs Penny's claim and awarded her E45 redundancy cash. Mrs market.

Penny and her retired bricklayer husband were due to be taken to always insisted that he would not make the mistake of his predecessors and increase his contain 85 per cent Australianabour force to meet short-term

But in the face of growing order books and lengthening delivery times it is now widely expected that he will have to act Mr Robin Cook, a Labour soon. The 7,200-strong work rontbencher, has been selected force is operating extensive nopposed as party candidate overtime, including weekend or the new parliamentary work Jaguar sales in the United constituency of Livingston, a States reached a record of 1,536 States reached a record of 1,536 at for which Mr Wedgwood cars last month, an increase of

10,300 last year. The original forecast of 12,000 for this year is being revised to more than 14,000.

European sales in the first three months of this year increased by 58 per cent, with Germany leading the field. Jaguar admit, however, that it is with only 2,500 sales in the whole of Europe last year.

 Japanese cars assembled in Australia are to go on sale in Britain today against growing protests that they are a thinly disguised method of by-passing the ceiling on Japanese sales here, which restricts their quota to 11 per cent of the UK

The cars, called Lonsdales. are manufactured by Mitsubishi Motors in Adelaide, South Australia, and are said to made components.

Prices range from £5,699 for 1.6 litre saloon to £8,299 for a 2.6 litre automatic estate.

A British Leyland subsidiary, the Aveling Barford engineering works, in Grantham, issued redundancy notices yesterday to 800 of their 1,100 workers who had refused to accept a productivity deal to save the company.

The company produces equipment for the construction industry.



Corporal David Timms, one of those injured by an IRA bomb which killed seven members of the Royal Green Jackets band in Regent's Park. London, last year, among the relatives attending a memorial tree planting yesterday. Two weeping willows were planted near the bandstand by Mrs Sandra Barker widow of Sergeant-Major Graham Barker, and Mrs Dorothy Heritage (Photographs:ve Bloge)_

Ministers' nuclear war plea

By Nicholas Timmins

Two ministers are to address the British Medical Association's central committee for community medicine today to emphasize the need for civil defence planning in the event of nuclear war.

Mr Patrick Mayhew, Minister of State at the Home Office, who is responsible for civil defence, and Mr Geoffrey Finsberg Under-Secretary of State at the Department of Health, are to address the community physicians, who play a key part in the health services' planning for a nuclear war, at the invitation of their chairman, Dr Smart Horner.

Dr Horner was a member of the BMA working party which produced a highly critical report of the Government's civil defence plans in March.

With the approval of his committee's executive, he has tabled a motion for the BMA's annual representative meeting next month urging community physicians to take no further part in such plans until the criticisms in the BMA report have been met. The full committee will be asked to approve that motion today.

The report concluded that effective planning along the lines envisaged is not possible in the face of a large attack; that an attack with a single weapon on a city would overwhelm the whole National Health Service; and that deaths and injuries from a 200 megaton attack would be two to two and half times greater than those esti-mated by the Home Office. The Home Office is revising

vocal chord were unanimously

cleared of negligence by the

nard, a staff nurse, against West Midlands Regional Health

Authority for the operation, at East Birmingham Hospital in

She claimed that the physician and surgeon responsible were guilty of an error of professional judgment so as to

constitute a breach of duty of

constitute a breach of duty of care. Contrary to strong medical indications that she had tuberculosis, they had held back from firm diagnosis and instead performed a biopsy of glands between her lungs, she claimed.

But giving judgment, Lord Scarman said: "Differences of opinion and practice exist, and will always exist, in the medical as in other professions. There is

as in other professions. There is

seldom any one answer exclusive of all others to problems of

Army barracks at Aldershot. The soldier told Winchester

Crown Court that two girls and

three soldiers had come into his billet. One of the soldiers had

taken a matress from a bed and

left the room with one of the

girls. The other and a soldier lay

down on a bed together.

Later, he said, a group of

drunken paratroopers came into

drunken paratroopers came into
the billet. "They were shouting
and calling: 'gang bang queue
up; and get the others'," he said.
"The girl was struggling but I
didn't think she needed help",
he added. Asked by Mr Stephen
O'Malley, for the prosecution,
what harmened next, he said:

House of Lords yesterday.

Uproar in Dail over Heseltine remarks

A dispute broke out in the Dublin Parliament yesterday over the critical remarks on Irish neutrality made in Belfast on Wednesday by Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence, and as Mr James Prior, Secretary of State for Northern Ireland arrived in the city for talks with government

During the rowdy exchanges in the Dail, Mr Charles Haughey, the Opposition lead-er, said that Mr Heseltine's remarks were "a blatant attack
Ten men implicated in a on Ireland's neutrality", and he urged Dr Garret FitzGerald, the Prime Minister, to make a strong protest to Mrs Margaret Thatcher about Mr Heseltine's 'unwarranted intervention".

As the uprad conttinued the Speaker said he could not allow the Chair to be bullied, and the sitting was adjourned for 20

Afterwards Mr Haughey in a statement questioned whether D. FitzGerald should have met Mr Prior after the "offensive remarks made about Irish neutrality". He also questioned whether he should have met Mr Prior after a refusal of a formal request by Dr FitzGerald to meet Mrs Thatcher.

Meanwhile Mr Prior on his surprise visit to Dublin, which was aimed at improving Anglo-irish relations, toured the Royal Dublin Show accompanied by Mr Peter Barry, the Minister for Foreign Affairs. Later he met Dr PitzGerald and Mr Richard Spring, the Labour leader and deputy Prime Minister, for the first time since the Fine Gael-Labour coalition government came to power last December. Provisional Sinn Fein, the

Nor was it enough to show

that subsequent events indi-

cated that the operation need

never have been performed, if

at the time of the decision to

operate was taken it was

reasonable in the sense that a responsible body of medical opinion would have accepted it

Lords clear doctors

of negligence

Paras queued up for

mass rape court told

By Alan Hamilton political wing of the Provisional IRA, yesterday named 14 candidates who will stand at the

general election in Northern the minor Austrian watercolou-rist, went of show yesterday at Ireland in what promises to be a fascinating struggle with their rivals, the Social Democratic and Labour Party, for the Longleat House, Wiltshire, the

nationalist vote. Six Sinn Fein candidates have been convicted of terrorist offences and four are former internees, full details of which were given in the announce-

series of alleged terrorist crimes by a self-confessed provisional IRA murderer who underwent a religious conversion while on the run went on trial in Belfast 1933 to 1945. yesterday at the start of the

third big case involving informers in the province. Unlike the two previous cases, the informer. Kevin McGrady, aged 27, from the Markets area of Belfast, has not been granted immunity for his breadth of imagination. offences but is serving a life

sentence in prison after admitting three murders and 24 other terrorist crimes. Landeer. The 10 men have denied all the charges, which include three murders, wounding with intent, attempted murder, possession

of firearms, conspiracy to murder Sir Jamie Flanagan, the first Roman Catholic chief constable of the RUC, and membership of the Provisional Mr Raymond Dornan

aged 39, a part-time member of the Ulster Defence Regiment, underwent emergency surgery yesterday after being seriously injured when a Provisional IRA booby-trap bomb exploded

IBA talks on Equity dispute

By Kenneth Gosling

Mr John Whitney, the direcor-general of the Independent Broadcasting Authority (IBA), has invited the two sides involved in the dispute over television advertising to informal talks at the authority's London headquarters on Wed-

the general secretary of Equity, the actors' union nor Mr David Wheeler, the director of the Institute of Practitioners in Advertising, who have both accepted the invitation, knows

what may be proposed.

However, in March the IBA
Suggested an independent

as proper.
With Lord Fraser of Tullybel-ton, Elwyn-Jones, Lord Roskill Lord Templeman, he supported the majority Court of Appeal finding against Mrs Maynard, then aged 41. But Mrs Maynard, of Vibert Road, South Yardley, Birmingham, is pursuing a second claim, in which negligence has been found in her favour ve of all others to problems of against Hillingdon Area Health rofessional judgment.

Authority and Mr Norman Nohl-Oser, a consultant

Doctors who were accused of not enough to show that there subjecting a woman to a was a body of competent "wholly unjustified" operation professional opinion which which left her with a paralysed considered that the decision by the doctors was wrong, if there was also a body of professional House of Lords yesterday. opinion, equally competent, Five Law Lords rejected an which supported the decision as appeal by Mrs Blondell May- reasonable in the circum-

nesday. Neither Mr Peter Plouviez

commission of inquiry, which was accepted by the IPA but rejected by Equity.

Mr John Whitney: No quick results expected

The two sides have been at ogeerheads for mons over the mount actors should be paid for repeated showings of com-mercials in Channel 4 and TV-

Equity, which has suggested that on a temporary basis they be paid half the full independent television rate, wants nayment based on the number repeats. The IPA insists however, that audience size should be the main consider-

It has been emphasized that the talks are informal and probably unlikely to yield any immediate results. But the IBA has clearly been worned by the union's decision at its recent annual meeting to set a July deadline for a deal to be reached, otherwise Equity says, it will seek to renegotiate its main independent television

Hitler art on display after 'test'

Forty-one paintings believed to be the work of Adolf Hitler, home of Lord Bath.

He bought his first two
"Hitlers" at Sotheby's for £600

Lord Bath is reasonably

Most of the works are views fo old Vienna, believed to have been copied from postcards,

life of roses. One water-colour depicting the Berchtesgarten mountain retreat tends towards the Victorian romanticism of

cartoon, showing two German soldiers playing chess in the Great War trenches at Douamont said to have been painted by the artist for his mother.

spent several years in Vienna, painting to pay his rent at a men's hostel and producing an estimated 1,000 works between 1907 and the early 1930s, when he was diverted to a political career. Two of the pictures on show were offered for exhiof Art in 1907, but were

Her Jaha gathered nearly sixty of his late master's paintings and sold them to Lord Bath for an average of £250 each. Most of the works are accompanied by a declaration from Herr Jahn testifying to their provenance.

variety of signatures on the lumpy and inelegant script, and some bear the mere initials

authentication of the works. He is, Lord Bath says, probably the only man alive who can say whether they are genuine.

dominated by a single male throughout the 11 month period of gestation 82 per cent of pregnancies ended with live births. But in unstable harems, where a second or even third stallion had taken control, there were less than half as many successful pregnancies. Closer study, correcting for age (older mares being less successful at bearing viable foals) showed a 90 per cent

the pair in 1960 to add to his collection of Churchill memorabilia. He decided to put his collection on public display for the first time in response to the current vogue for the work of Hitler, the diarist.

convinced that his paintings are the work of Hitler, who was Chancellor of Germany from

showing more prosaic talent for imitation than for any There is one oil, a solid still

There is also one work almost in the nature of a

During his formative period the artist is known to have

After purchasing his first two paintings at auctions. Lord Bath was approached by Peter Jahn, the artist's cultural adviser during his period of diversion into politics, and still living in

Observers at yesterday's preview were concerned at the canvases. Some say "A Hitler" in block capitals, some are signed "Adolf Hitler" in a

Bath is, however, with Herr Jahn's Lord satisfied

slightly more 'ethical' method than that of infanticide which is used for similar purposes by some other wild animals, Source: Nature 5 May 1983 vol 303 p 59 © Nature-Times News Service,

New Comet

approaching

Science report

How wild

horses

can cause

abortions

By the Staff of Nature

control of a harem from a rival one dramatic conse-

quence is that most of the

pregnant members of the

harenz abort their foetuses. So

concludes Dr Joel Berger, of

the Smithsonian Institution. Front Royal, Virginia, who has

been studying some of the 40,000 wild horses of the

Great Basin Desert of North

Dr Berger selected a group

of 129 horses confined to the Granite Range mountains in Nevada, and has watched them for 7.000 hours over the

last four years, long enough to

be able to claim to know the ages of 90 per cent of the

He found that in harems

abortion rate for mares in their

first six months of pregnancy

if their harem was conquered

harem takeovers are characte-

rized by copulations between

its members and the new male.

but only after he has continu-

ally and appressively bitten and chased them. This amounts to forced copulation.

compared to the usual friendly

course of events. Presumably

forced copulation plays some part in inducing abortions, but since several abortions were also observed in the absence of

forced copulation, general

The presumed advantage to the new stallion of his actions is that it enables him to

propagate his own genes, not

hose of a rival. In doing so the

horse has at least settled for a

stress must also be a cause.

Dr Berger observed that

by a new stallion.

America.

When a wild stallion wins

the Earth

By Our Science Editor was announced last night to a meeting in London of the Royal Society. It has been called the IRAS-Akari-Alcock, after the names of those who, within days of each other, have confirmed its existence.

The object is approaching the Earth, and should be visible, certainly with good binoculars, near the Plough about May 11. Then it should be, at closest,

some three million miles away. The account to the Royal Society of the discovery began on April 25, when a group of scientists from Leicester University and the Rutherford-Appleton Laboratory, Oxford, were monitoring the streams of data coming from the Infrared Astronomy Satellite, IRAS, launched recently to detect stars and galaxies which cannot be seen from Earth-bound observ-

The equipment it carries to make a map of the Universe is up to a thousand times more sensitive than existing instru-

Wife 'murdered and buried in river bank'

A devoted mother who vanished in 1973 was murdered by her husband on their eleventh wedding anniversary, Newcastle magistrates were told Mrs Ann Law's husband

Gilbert Law, aged 46, a marine engineer, from Wallsend, Tyne and Wear, appeared before a committal hearing charged with murdering his wife, aged 35, on March 24, 1973, two week's before their divorce was due to be made absolute. Mr Robert Taylor, for the prosecution said. Reporting restrictions were lifted at an earlier hearing.
Last November Mr Law

admitted strangling his wife and burying her at a River Tyne picnic spot near Stocksfield, counsel said.

No trace of Mrs Law had been found, despite extensive digging along the river banks. The last known person to see her alive was the defendant, who claimed at the time that his wife had left home at about 9.30pm without saying where she was going".

Mr Law later told detectives that he had buried his wife after she died from the effects of drink and drugs, the court was

After that he told police he was receiving messages from his television set the night she disappeared. I was like a zombie - I heard this voice. It just said 'kill Ann'. I just started to strangle her."

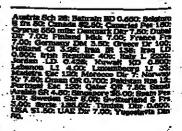
paranoid schizophrenic in 1971. The couple had two children, a daughter, now 15, and a son, who is 19, but the marriage was turbulent. Mrs Law sought a divorce while her husband was at sea in 1972. She told friends she was

not going to be parted from her children or made to leave her home in Denton, Newcastle. Mrs Law had arranged to meet her twin sister the day after she disappeared, Mr Taylor said. Her clothes, handbag and purse were still at

Mrs Law had never been in touch with her sister with whom she was very close, her children or friends. Her bank account had not been touched.

But, Mr Taylor said, if Mrs Law had been buried in the lower part of the river bank river currents may have exhumed the body and carried it away". It was also possible that Mr Law had mistaken the exact spot where the body was

The hering continues today.



"Why have I got such big teeth?"



In the past few years, Charles Darwin, the man who started modern biology, has been attacked from New Scientist we see how monkeys, apes proving that Darwin stands up better than

We also ask whether German science can survive the muddle in its universities; and preview the flat screen TV you can

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all sides. This week in and deer are yet again his critics.

wear on your wrist.

what happened next, he said: "Two of the men then urinated on the girl. Then, after they had finished with her, they chased her from the room." Before the court are four **Every Thursday**

A young paratrooper told a soldiers who deny raping the court yesterday that members of his regiment queued up to rape a teenage girl despite her pleas to be left alone. girl. One also denies having unlawful sexual intercourse with her. The other three all deny indecently assaulting her. A fifth soldier has admitted The alleged incident took place in November, 1981, in an rape; and a sixth denies indecent and common assault.

Four paratroopers said the girl had been in bed with another soldier when a group of them burst in and started to molest her. One witness told the court: "They all gathered around the girl and started shorting gang-bang."
Two of the wirnesses have

claimed they were threatened with violence if they told anyone about the incident. One told the court "I did not fancy getting my face filled in." A soldier said he saw the girl sexually abused with a rolled up magazine. Another told the court. The girl seemed to be enjoying sex with the first manbut when the others burst in all she wanted to do was get out of

The trial continues today.

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Parachutist injured in saving Red Devils colleague from crashing

Devils parachute team was in not been for Sergeant-major hospital with a broken back Yeoman's cool head throughout vesterday after he saved a it could have been even worse colleague from plummeting for Corporal 1,000ft to his death when a was for him." speciacular mid-air manoeuvre

Kenneth Sergeant-major Kenneth Yeoman, aged 37, of The Parachute Regiment, caught hold of Corporal Kenneth Campbell, aged 25, when his and held on even when his own canopy partially folded, and the two hit the ground.

Sergeant-major Yeoman landed on his spine. He was rushed to Truro hospital, where he underwent emergency sur-gery. He was said yesterday to oc partially paralysed in his legs. Corporal Campbell managed a correct parachute landing and suffered only severe bruising and shock.

The accident happened on Wednesday night over RAF St Mawgan, in Cornwall, where nine members of the Red Devils were practising a jump from 10,000ft from an Islander

Captain Michael Munn, the team leader, who witnessed if

A leading member of the Red from the ground, said: If it had opening their parachutes, where from plummeting for Corporal Campbell than it their straps so that Sergeant major Yeoman would be positioned immediately above was for him."

He said the two had dropped
7,000ft, most of it before his colleague, giving the appearance that he was standing on his

> Then the corporal's para-chute collapsed Captain Munn said. They were still more than 1,000ft up and Corporal Campbell may well have fallen from there. The Sergeant-major made sure that the corporal was secure, and it looked as if both men would get down on the one parachute, certainly to a hard landing but reasonably safely."

The second parachine then partially collapsed. Captain Munn said: "It still had some lift, but the two men came down the last 80ft at 60 degrees and very fast. It was obvious right away that the Sergeantmajor was badly hurt." Sergeant-major Yeoman's wife visited him yesterday. He

has three children and lives in married quarters at Aldershot. He has been with the Red Devils for four years and was to have led the team in a display in Berlin this month.



The solicitors' insurers will

Solicitors liable for crash damages

By Francis Gibb, Legal Affairs Correspon

RUC widow to marry

double killer

A firm of solicitors which He added that Miss Deerness failed to lodge a claim for would not suffer as she had compensation in time after a received £100,000, which was woman show jumper was conditional on leave to appeal injured in a car accident is liable to the Lords being granted. She for the heavy damages to which should now receive the balance, she is entitled, the House of he said. Lords held yesterday.

Five Law Lords unanimously have to pay out for a rise that ded that the solicitors must be they insured and for which they figure claim by Miss Lorna have suffered no injustice.

Deerness, aged 25, of Baldock, "Cornbill have a lorn after the corns and for which they have suffered no injustice." Deerness, aged 25, of Baldock, "Cornhill have had the good. Hertfordshire, after she was luck to escape having to pay out rendered a paraplegic in an for a risk that they had insured

and for which they too had They upheld a Court of charged a premium, but in Appeal ruling last Ocother that liability insurance business, as Deerness could not pro- between two insurers where the against the insurance only question is which of them company of the defendants is to pay a claim, one cannot because a clerk in A. E. Hamlin blame either insurer for taking and Co, the firm of solicitors advantage of his good luck."
then handling the claim, omitted to serve a writ within the works as a trainer at the North Hertfordshire Equitation Cen-

Giving judgment Lord Dip-lock said: "What this appeal is said yesterday: "Having had the really about is a squabble £100,000 payment has eased the between the solicitors' insurers situation, but there is still the and Cornhill (Insurance Com-pany) as to which of them will settled." have to pay the heavy damages undoubtedly entitled".

By Richard Ford The widow of a Royal Ulster

Constabulary inspector mur-dered by the provisional IRA, is

to marry a convicted double killer described by a judge as a

cold blooded and completely

Mrs Florence Cobb, aged 42, a mother of three, has become engaged to Kenneth McClinton,

aged 36, a former member of the Ulster Defence Association. He has become a "born again

Christian" while serving a life-sentence in the Maze high-security prison, near Belfast.

The couple plan to marry-when McClinton, from the

Shankhill Road area of Belfast

completes his sentence in 1999, unless as Mrs Cobb says, "the Lord opens the prison gates

appeared on a televison programme and McClinton wrote

to her saying he had become a "born again Christian". After several letters she went to visit the man jailed in 1979 for the murder of a Roman Catholic

Mrs Cobb, from Hillsbo- scalded.

county Down, had

The couple first met after she

Glazier says he trapped Soviet spies

biggest hand of Russian spies for a decade while working in the Soviet Trade delegation in Highgate, north London. Mr William Graham, aged 45, said he pinpointed up to

thirty Russians in the Highgate complex involved in subversive activity, and reported his findings to British intelligence

He said that his work as MI6 "mole" resulted in t "mole" resulted in the expulsion of three Russians for spying activities, and predicted

infiltrated the complex over an 18-month period after a chance offer to reglaze the buildings in the trade delegation in late

work led to the expulsion of three spies, Mr Viktor Lazine in 1981, Mr Anatoli Zotov last The final amount has yet to

ernov earlier this year Law Report, page 19

ing in Britain for two years unknown to British security services.

He bugged the trade delegation for MI6 with a transmitting device about the size of a 10p piece and also helped to get in touch with a Russian who was subsequently compromised

met in the Queen's Head public house, in Crouch End, north London. The stranger turned out to be a member of the Soviet trade delegation, who said there would be some

Mr Graham's firm, formerly Palace Installations of Hornsey,

which is now in liquidation, was awarded the £46,000 contract.

He got in touch with his Special Branch contact before heing introduced to an MI6 controller. Mr Graham said be Aspinall Curzon, opens in eight She had forgiven him for what he had done and he was sorry for his actions and after giving his life to Christ had severed his connexions with paramilitary groups.
Her france had just returned to the Maze after undergoing skin graft operations after an attack by republican prisoners a few weeks ago in which he was "He is not using his Christiararlier written to the man nity to my to get out of prison convicted of murdering her early. He ses the Maze as his husband at security barriers in mission field and we are both January, 1980.

He claimed that a bugging device planted under the lectern Lurgan, county Armagh, in prepared to wait," she said.

1977, forgiving him.

A "born again Christian" one of the men McClinton shot herself, Mrs Cobb said she dead six years ago, said last herself, Mrs Cobb said she dead six years ago, said last Russian Embassy, who was believed McClinton was a truly might he was "pulling the wool expelled for attempting to recruit civil servants in govern-

By Richard Evans

A double glazing salesman claimed yesterday that it was he who helped to uncover the

In an interview with The Standard, the London evening newspaper, Mr Graham said he

Mr Graham claimed that his

In addition he said he uncovered a spy, code-named Charles, who had been operat-

by Intelligence to work for Britain when he returned to

Moscow. Mr Graham, a former police informant, said he agreed to work for MI6 "because I am loyal to my country".

The work began when he became friendly with a man he Soviet trade delegation, who said there would be some double glazing work at the Highgate premises.

Mr Aspinall, aged 56, of Lyall-Street. Belgravia, bought the cinb from the company. Five earlier applications failed

was given a code name, a months after renovations.
special relephone number to He also owns Howletts Zoo ring and a flat to go to in case of trouble. It was there that he was debriefed three or four times a money. week after starting the job in

sincere believer. Their relation- over people's eyes" about his ship had developed since she "born again Christian" claims. ment departments.

Mrs Cobb yesterday: Marrying "in 1999".

began visiting him in 1981 after he had sent her a visitor's pass.

Better homes bring fewer complaints By Baron Phillips, Property Correspondent

Britain's house builders are constructing better homes, of a higher standard, than they were 10 years ago. Since 1973 there has been a remarkable decline in the number of complaints about important structural defects in new

An independent study by Duncan Fraser, a firm of actuaries, shows that the number of serious delects in newly built private houses has been significantly reduced since 1973, when almost 10,000 clams under the National Housebuilders Comcil certificate scheme were received. Last year claims had

guarantees the main structures of a home for 10 years, a total of film was paid out last year

though no strictly comparable figure is available for 1973, £12m has been paid on claims arising on homes built between 1971 and 1973.

Most of the awards made last year relate to structural defects in homes built before 1974 and cover houses and flats which were constructed

during the 1970-73 hoom. The council said yesterday that claims totalling only £4m had been met on homes built since 1975, although will generation of houses will continue to be at risk until

early into the next decade.

Present cartificate schemes
run for the first 10 years of the life of a house but do not come Under the scheme, which into operation until a house marantees the main structures has been bought. During the fa home for 10 years, a total aftermath of the property f 25m was paid out last year collapse in the mid-1970s

for genuine complaints. Al- many home on sites all around the country lay empty for years until the market picked

During the first two years of occupancy a housebuilder is normally responsible for any defects which become apparent. For the next eight years home owners are covered by the certificate.

The average size of a claim settled list year was £3,300. Most complaints were in two areas, rooting and hadly laid foundations. They cost almost £3m, half the total claims, to put right.

But it is the report from the actuaries that indicates the general improvement in build-ing standards over the past 10 years. It states that the number of big structural problems occurring after seven years is down by half.

Given a new lease of life by a change of heart



Transplant programmes face uncertain future

Hospital, Cambridge, have carried out the fiftieth heart transplant since the programme began in January, 1979. at Papworth The recipient was a former

Post Office employee, aged 40, of Keighley, West Yorkshire. His operation, which started on Wednesday night and ended in the early hours of yesterday, was the 101st in

A hospital official said: The operation went smoothly and his new heart is working well. The patient is a marrie man with a family, but the bospital is not rele name at the request of relatives.

If the transplant work which started in 1968 but soon stopped in a glare of bad publicity is included, then rather more than 101 heart ried out in Britain. That number includes the "piggy-back" operations conducted by Mr Magdi Yacoub's team at Harefield Hospital, Middle-sex! in which a donor heart is linked in parallel with a failing

Yesterday's heart transcould be one of the last for some time because the future of heart replacements rests on the conclusions of a review

Aspinall is

granted

club licence

Mr John Aspinall was granted a gaming licence yester-day for the Curzon House Club, in Maylair, London, after a

three-day hearing by South Westminster Licensing Justices.

The casino, formerly owned by the Coral Leisure Group, lost its licence two years ago after

the management was found using illegal methods to attract customers.

cause it was felt there were sufficient casinos in London...

Father is jailed

for baby's death

James Hogan, aged 35, who smothered his son Ryan, aged eight months, with a cushion shortly before he was due to hand the child over to his

estranged second wife, was

jailed for 18 months yesterday

at Preston Crown Court. Hogan, a sales representative, of Irwell Vale, Rossendale, Lanca-

shire, admitted manslaughter.

Mrs Hogan had secured an

interim court order giving custody of the boy.

Robbery theory

Grave robbers may have

taken several thousand pounds of jewelry thought to have been buried with the body of a woman at Theydon Bois, Essex. The local police have begun an

investigation after the grave of Mrs Winifred De Maus, who

died in 1978, was found uncovered on Wednesday.

Mrs De Maus died in her

ighties. Yesterday police said they were trying to find a relative who lives on the Isle of Wight. A spokesman said it had been runneured that Mrs De

Mans had been buried with a

quantity of jewelry.

in desecration

Mr Aspinall agreed yesterday

ordered 18 months ago by the Department of Health and Social Security. The purpose was to assess progress over the past four years at Papworth and Harefield. The report is

ninated for the resumption of transplant surgery in January, 1979, after a gap of 10 years on the recomm dation of the Government's Transplant Advisory Panel. Uncertainty about the future

survival rate of transplant recipients is improving rapidly. In the two years after Dr Christiaan Barnard did the first heart-swop, in December, 1967, at Groote Schuur Hospiin five patients survived each year, but the prospects now for survival for 12 months are better than eight in ten.

Furthermore, once past that hurdle, the five-year survival rate is expected to be 90 per cent. The longest surviving heart transplant patient is M Emmanuel Vitra, of Marseilles, a former wine salesversary of his new heart at the

By last summer, more than 750 heart transplants had been done in 74 countries. The greatest number have been



with Professor Norman Shum-way at Stanford University,

than those anywhere else. At the last meeting of the International Transplantation transplants since 1968; of those, 87 were alive. ongest for twelve and a half

He attributes recent improvements in chances of survival to the introduction

rejection drug, cyclosporin-A. Research continues for still more effective ways of combating rejection. Nevertheless, a. shadow hangs over progress in science and medicine, lack of

A heart replacement costs about £20,000 for the surgery in Britain who could benefit from a transplant and be returned to active life is about fifty a year.

Mr Paul Coffey, aged 27, recieved his new heart on February 26, 1980. Before the operation he could scarcely sit up in bed; last Saturday he was playing his regular game of foothall.

He said yesterday: "I feel almost fitter than before I was taken ili, but that is probably because I am aware of the need to keep in trim. And that means sticking to a sensible diet and only an occasions

The illness that nearly killed him, Mr Coffey now advantage because his wife medically and psychologically. Mr Coffey, who was a charge nurse before the transplant, is now a clinical tea psychiatry at New Cross Hospital and is studying for

Yet four years ago it was the severest exertion to walk 25 yards. Today he cycles and plays cricket, and squash racquets as well as football.

The deterioration that led to the need for a new heart was quite rapid. It began the olent attack of stomach pain That was followed by a ge debility, which resembled severe bout of influenza. first doctors suspected he had on of the exhausting systemic infections, such a glandular

He was soon unable to walk a few hundred yards. A specialist in Birmingham diagnosed cardiac myopathy, a degeneration of the heart muscles, which was confirm by Mr Terence English after Mr Coffey was referred to Papworth. The only remedy the doctors could offer was a transplant. Within five weeks

Mrs Susan Coffey said: "Looking back on it, we did not seem to have time to be frightened. But more than anything else, the confidence of the staff at Papworth never gave us any feeling of doubt that it would not work, and confidence that Paul would be back to work."

at work have been a great help, because they accepted me back instantly as Paul Coffey and not some oddity.

between now and before the heart condition is that I take a regular medication each day. But I take the necessary tablets as automatically as brushing my teeth. Every three months I have to attend a routine out-patients clinics that takes only a matter minutes. Ouce a year I check into Papworth for a full overhaul."

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policy should remain in force

non-dangerous prisoners.

Mr Whitelaw is reluctant to

take such action, as he made

plain in his article in The Times

vesterday. The article is seen by

the prison population.

Government moves this month to disrupt its adopt a policy of keeping to the agencies law and order policies by certified normal accommonindustrial action that could dation figure in all establishseriously embarrass it, especial-ly if there is a general election in The branch mov

The National Association of Probation Officers (Napo) is special delegate conference. calling on its members to refuse to recommend, supervise, or cooperate with two key pro-visions of the Criminal Justice ct, which is due to come into bring pressure to bear on Mr William Whitelaw, Home Sec-Further, prison officers at retary, to take emergency Act, which is due to come into effect on May 24.

their annual conference later this month will be debating unilateral action to cut the prison population. The debate comes after a resolution at their conference two years ago to the effect that if by now the officers as implying that there is Government had not done no need for further drastic chough to reduce overcrowding, action by them or anyone else the prison officers would do because of the effort the

If they decide to act, the population would be reduced to the certified normal accommodation figure, the number prisons are officially supposed

Officers estimate that if a motion before the conference is passed the prison population

will fall by about 5,500.

An official of the Prison Officers' Association said that last time the officers took to be provided, but the pressure action, in 1980, the Governoon the system is unlikely to ment introduced an emergency powers Act, opened two camps, to make room for integral and brought in troops to help sanitation and others will be out with perimeter guard duties. The prison population is now 44,407, and 374 in police cells.

Canterbury Prison staff, who moved the original resolution, have a motion this month

Mr Clive Jenkins's 400,000-

nical and Managerial Staffs (ASTMS), has moved to head

off possible controversy over its

Mr Jenkins, the general

secretary, said yesterday the union's position had improved

any case its problems had been

grossly exaggerated.

quite dramatically" and that in

Several motions severely

critical of the financial perform-

ance of ASTMS have been

dropped from the final agenda

of the union's annual conference, which starts in Bourne- with it.

National officers said that an

internal investigation of the situation had satisfied the

committee setting out the order

of business of the conference

and that it was decided there

were more important issues to

Mr Jenkins said that a combined deficit on capital and

current account of £875,000 in

1981 had been reduced to a

the central political and general fund. from £7,955,000 to £9.340,000. Current and capital

expenditure had decreased marginally to £7,320,000. Total

net assets rose from £2.2m to

The Law Society has launched another attack on

strongly worded document which sets out why non-

off the roll for stealing clients'

money have subsequently

conveyancing organizations, thus exposing its customers to

a risk which cannot be justified".

failed to pass the conveyancing paper of the solicitors' final

examinations five times. "He

now offers his services to the

Another person cited in

recent legal proceedings "has

failed the conveyancing paper

of the solicitors' final examin-

The document, which has been sent to all local law

societies, is aimed at putting the

Law Society's case to the public,

the media and MPs, for the

present round of prosecutions it

had brought against non-

The prosecutions, the society

says, are being brought as a

matter of consumer protection.

use an unqualified conveyancer

Citing the unanimous con-

clusion of the Royal Commission on Legal Services in 1979 that a "free-for-all in

conveyancing would not be in

the public interest", the society

lists four reasons why a solicitor

qualified conveyancers.

is playing with fire."

lawyer conveyancer.

ation no fewer than 12 times".

It names one non-lawyer

within unqualified

There was also an increase in

deficiency of £5,000.

Union leader eases

fears over finances

By Barrie Clement, Labour Reporter

Mr Clive Jenkins's 400,000-strong white-collar union, the Association of Scientific, Tech-cent increase in membership

subscriptions through an increase in the fee from £2 a month to £2.50

Assets had also been sold and 33 members of staff had

accepted voluntary redundancy. An index-linked pay agreement with staff had also been replaced with a less expensive

ASTMS has worked out a

method of tempting organiza-

tions not affiliated to the Trades

Union Congress into merging

approach, which often frightens

less militant bodies away, the union has developed a "trial

being invited to avail them-selves of ASTMS facilities at a

prearranged annual fee, without

committing themselves to an

eventual merger.
Mr Peter Kennedy, a national

officer, said the union could

offer research, educational and

legal services, together with

union could pick up as many as

The union has already signed up the Guinness staff associ-

law; offers the benefit of a compensation fund for dis-

from his client's innocence and

The society gives two examples of the dangers for clients of using non-lawyer

conveyancers. In one, evidence

was given in one of the recent Law Society prosecutions that a

solicitor acting for the building

conveyancer's customer had to

redraft the transfer document.

The unqualified conveyancer

then thanked the solicitor for

been exchanged but not signed. The customer of the non-quali-

fied conveyancer learned of new

facts and wanted to withdraw

from the transaction. His

conveyancer failed to act

quickly enough and the contract

was signed by the other side,

committing the customer to a

binding contracts with which he

The society accepts improve-

ments can and have been made

Some solicitors, it says, would

like to see advertising allowed by individual firms. "This is a

concern. Because, however, of

the public interest we have

taken some small steps in that

for conveyancing charges which clients can ask solicitors to fill

in. Clients are encouraged to

shop around. Solicitors: it says.

fied conveyancers.

These include estimate forms

could not proceed.

In another case contracts had

advice on health and safety. Mr Jenkins estimates that his

100,000 extra members.

ation in Dublin.

Unqualified conveyancers

'a threat to the public'

By Frances Gibb, Legal Affairs Correspondent

launched another attack on says, has received lengthy legal non-qualified conveyancers in training in all branches of the

solicitor house conveyancers honesty; has to observe a code constitute a threat to the public of conduct so he cannot benefit

It claims that in the past carries compulsory insurance

conveyancer who, it says, has society lending money to the

"For a member of the public to change which does cause us

should be preferred to a non- can be cheaper than non-quali-

direction."

solicitors who have been struck against negligence.

public as an unqualified putting him right.
In another case

Smaller organizations are

amalgamation

prisons the association should under attack from its own

One of the provisions in the Criminal Justice Act which Napo is banning is the curiew The branch moved that the

Under the order a juvenile until otherwise determined by a can be instructed to remain at home or at a specified address The effect would be to add for a maximum of 10 hours immediately to the number of between 6pm and 6am for up to prisoners held in police cells not 30 days. The court must not built for the purpose and to include any such requirement, however, unless it has first consulted the supervisor about feasibility of securing executive action to release some

> Another key provision in the Act to be vetoed by officers allows courts to require under a supervision order that a juvenile should refrain from partici-pating in certain activities for up to 90 days.

Napo regards curiews and the so-called "negative require-ments" in supervision and Government is making to cut probation orders as unworkable However, Mr Whitelaw's optimism Tailiers with the and a fundamental change in the officer's role. opinion of Sir James Hennessy, his Chief Inspector of Prisons. He said in his annual report

Members have been urged to their chiefs to try to avoid any conflict with courts.

that prison overcrowding, which was already at a crisis point, was likely to worsen, with There is already evidence that one part of the Act is not being used. "Since the adult provisions of the Act came into force in January no Napo the population reaching almost 50,000 by the end of the decade. Five thousand new places are member has recommended a ease, because some cells will go negative requirement and to my knowledge none has been imposed". Mr Harry Fletcher. of use during refurbishing assistant gualif the prison officers do not Napo, said think Mr Whitelaw's proassistant general secretary of

The negative requirements gramme credible the Governmean that an offender can be ment could be faced in the told not to do something, for period before a possible general example visit a public house. which says that, because the election with its much vaunted the probable of the cover-crowding in priority for Conservatives; complies.

Bookies'

dispute for

High Court

By Rupert Morris

is to be resolved in the High Court today. At issue is the chairmanship of the levy board's bookmakers com-

mittee, which helps to decide

the annual rate of levy.

The Betting Office Licensees'
Association (BOLA), which
represents High Street betting

shops, objects to the chairman-ship of Mr Alf Brace, from the National Association of Bookmakers (NAB), which represents predominantly on-

That view is supported by Mr William Whitelaw, the Home

ecretary, who reconstituted the

bookmakers' committee from

last December to give the

bodies equal representation. NAB had previously com-

manded a permanent majority

BOLA has long argued that

NAB should not have the main say in how the levy is fixed.

since only off-course book-makers (BOLA members) pay

the levy - equivalent to 1.1 per cent of their turnover, and expected to raise £19m for the

racing industry in this financial

But NAB has received legal

advice that it may still be entitled to have Mr Bruce, with

Ripper denial

his vital casting vote, as and Commonwealth Affairs, chairman.

course bookmakers.

A dispute among bookmakers



Bridge on the River Foyle: About 200 yards of dual carriageway bridge section taking to the air in Northern Ireland from a barge. The length of the bridge changes by an eighth of an inch for every degree C shift between rain and shine.

(Photograph: John Dadson)

Labour in the Rhondda

Candidate for a lifetime

Nevertheless, it appears likely that after the executive

committee draws up a short list tonight, the only outsider still in the running will be Mr

George Galloway, former chairman of the Labour Party

in Scotland and now a full-

His two likeliest opponents

will be two European MPs. Miss Ann Clwyd (Mid and West Wales) and the local

man and favourite, Mr Allen

Mr Rogers, an anti-marke-teer and former vice-president of the European Parliament,

said: "I feel I can represent the

views of the Rhondda because

with the British Standards Institute and British Telecom.

lated to be costing the EEC as a

whole some £10,500m a year, of

which the United Kingdom

share amounts to about £2,000m. They take many forms, such as French in-

sistance that documentation

Non-tariff barriers are calcu-

Rogers (South East Wales).

time organizer in Dundee.

By tonight the clutch of MPs, still searching for seats solicitors, union officials and because the reorganization of councillors bidding for the safest job in British politics will have been whittled down constituency boundaries, have cast envious glances towards the valley but they are barred by convention from bidding. to a manageable number and, Mr Harry Stonelake, sec-retary of the Rhondda Con-stituency Labour Party, has at most, only six prospective candidates will remain from whom the next Labour MP for the Rhondda will be chosen. admitted there is a preference in the valley for a local person to be chosen "although nat-urally we want the best candidate for the job."

Barring a major scandal or a conversion of Lazarus-like proportions among the elec-torate, the successful man or woman will remain in Parliament for the rest of his or her working life, for the party enjoys in the valley a majority of 31,141.

Because of fears that Plaid Cymru would move the writ for the by-election, caused by the death of the former member, Mr Alec Jones, the original leisurely timetable was cut back after pressure from London and the final decision on the date will now be taken next week.

More than forty people

wrote expressing their desire to stand but it is expected that by the time nominations close today, only 12 will have succeeded in obtaining the necessary nominations.

Several leading Labour

position to put some views to it.

next week with Sir Geoffrey

Howe, Chancellor of the Ex-chequer, Mr Douglas Hurd, Minister of State for Foreign

cial Secretary to the Treasury.
The five European MPs

Meetings have been arranged

fact that I am a Scot presents no problems. There - are examples of people who have done the same thing." In fact one of them, Keir Hardy, became the first Labour MP when he won Merthyr and his secretary was Mr Stonelake's grandfather.

Wisely, Mr Galloway says he is in favour of devolution in Scotland but not for Wales. Only twice, in 1945 when the Communists falled by 972 votes to capture the seat and in 1967 when Plaid Cymru fell short by 3,000 votes, has the unbroken Labour lineage been remotely challenged.

The prospective Conserva-tive candidate. Mr Peter Meyer, a knowledgeable and experienced county councilior, will not be too disheartened by the inevitability of defeat. In 1959 Mr Francis Pym was soundly thrashed there.

Rhondda contradicts Conservative ethos, which declares that home ownership is a factor in its favour, for most of the 76 per cent owner occupiers in the valley follow the 17.7 per cent who live in council houses and routinely

Doubts on Sizewell safety

nuclear engineering experts have criticized the design of the steel pressure vessel, the "heart" of the Central Electricity Generating Board's proposed Sizewell B Pressurized water reactor

evidence to the public inquiry now ending 15 weeks in session at the Snape Maltings, in Suffolk. The evidence was prepared for Suffolk County Council and Suffolk Coastal

commission.

The inquiry was told that the experts' concern centered on the upper part of the pressure vessel, the nozzle and flange region, which both Professor Leslie and Dr Kussmaul claim should be forged as one unit. Both the board and the National Nuclear Corporation, the part-government-owned corporation which acts as agent claim that the use of such an integrated design is not feasible Dr Kussmaul's evidence

vessel manufacturers have forged pressure vessels as one component as large as that

Two British and German

The criticism comes in

District Council by Dr David Leslie, professor of nuclear engineering at London Univer-

Professor Leslie told the hearing yesterday that he was "unconvinced by the locard's choice of style of pressure vessel", citing an assessment of the safety and reliability of the vessel's design carried out by Dr Karl Kussmaul, director of West Germany's state materials testing laboratory and a mem-ber of the Garman reactor safety

shows that German pressure

planned at Sizewell. The inquiry continues today. into its Stride
By Ronald Faux

March for

jobs gets

The People's March for Jobs was in full stride yesterday, galaing momentum as it moved south through the Lake District.

The 70 marchers in bright

vellow sweatshirts and waterproofs, banners waving in the wind, had already crossed Shap, which offers some of the highest and bleakest ground hetween Glasgow and London, and had just passed through Whitelaw land, unswerving Conservative territory dotted with comfortable farms and prosperous looking

"Some people looked at us as though we had just stepped down from Mars, but generally folk understand". 2 young marcher, who is a rec factory manager and former shop steward, said.

A morgue technician, who leave to join the march, said the police had been helpful and sympathetic, escorting the marchers on the daily 15-mile

legs of the protest.

They know exactly what
the relationship is between
memployment and crime, and that with more work there would be less crime and violence for them to deal with, less for the extremists of any kind to promote themselves with", he said.

The march had been kept to a token number because of costs and logistics problems. It will swell from a number of smaller marchers coming from elsewhere in the North-west, elsewhere in the North-west, and from west Cumbria, Yorkshire, Liverpool, New-castle and the West Country. It is planning to sweep into Trafalgar Square on June 5 for "the biggest protest demonstration against memployment the country has ever seen".

There are no pinched faces or rank signs of distress

or rank signs of distress among these latter-day Jarrow men and women. But the distress and deprivation these marchers complain about has

a depressing edge.
Sophia Young, aged 22. from Glasgow, graduated at Aberdeen University 2 year ago with an MA in arts and social sciences, and has found only two jobs since as a parttime waitress and as a barmaid.

"It is very depressing to be told 50 times: Sorry but we have had 500 people or 200 graduates applying for this job'. This march is really the first constructive thing I have been able to do. It is comradeship, encouragement and knowing that you are not alone, she said.

The marchers insist that their blisters and sore legs are not being suffered for a political cause. They resent. apt to arrive ahead of the march distributing revolutionary literature

Mr Alan Millington, chief marshal, insisted: "We are not extremists, we just believe there must be another way to ron the country than inflicting this on so many people."

share offers By Bill Johnstone. **Electronics Correspondent** The board of Satellite Television is to meet today to decide on the offers for a

News International, owners of The Times, The Sunday Times, The News of the World and The Sun, has made a bid for the sharebolding but is in competition with another bidder, believed to be an elec-

operating since 1981 using the European Orbital Test Satellite. The station has more than 400,000 viewers in Norway. Finland and Switzerland, From the summer, the station will be transmitted on the new European Communications Satellite which will be able to be recieved

The project has cost the shareholders about £4m, so far, but a further £10m is needed

There were two aspects to the problem: organized crime using dishonest methods to obtain a film, putting it on master tapes and flooding the market; and "back to back" copying, involving a dealer employing two machines—"and a bit of wire from Exchange and Mart".

The supply of blank tapes is

also being studied. "We want information about any excep-

tionally large order for tapes

coming in from an unusual source. Mr Birch said.

Fact campaign will come in a

fortnight when thousands of illegal cassettes will be crushed at a depot in Totten-

The campaign itself will continue - aided, its leaders

hope, by the speedy enactment

into law of the Copyright

Amendment Bill, promi

rapid passage through remaining stages.

ham, north London.

The first big "crunch" in the

live in the valleys and come from a coalmining family. reject the party. Visit by EEC delegates Satellite TV group considers for trade barrier talks

majority shareholding in the

tronics group.
The satellite service has been

Environment policy plea to Britain

By David Nicholson-Lord Leaders of the European industrial interests, looking no

conservation movement are to further than the minor risk to make a final appeal to Mr Tom delays to their projects, such as blocking of a measure regarded and farming drainage. as crucial to the development of

ing to Mr. King asking him to here very little compared with abandom British resistance to the proposed directive on environmental impact assessment in time for next month's meeting of the EEC Council of Ministers. If he refuses, conservationists believe the directive may be lost.

The bureau is the main pan-European grouping of conserva-tionists, representing more than sixty bodies in the 10 members states. Mr Robin Grove-White, its UK representative and director of the Council for the protection of Rural England, escribed the directive yesterday as "immensely important" and said the finger would point at Britain if it was dropped.

He added that environment ministers had allowed themselves to be dominated by

King. The Secretary of State for the construction of power he Environment, over Britain's stations, mineral developments as crucial to the development of a coherent EEC environment blocking of the directive is that

the approach it enshrines is in Mrs Margaret Sweeney, the broad conformity with the best Irish president of the European principles of British planning Environmental Bureau, is writ- and would modify practices

It has received the backing of the Town and Country Planning Association and the Royal Town Planning Institute

Conservationists believe that the directive, which provides for vetting of sensitive projects and lays down public consultation procedures, would place environmental policy at the heart of EEC decision-making. Increasingly controversial agri-cultural drainage projects could be better controlled, they argue.

Government opposition to the proposal, which has been discussed by the EEC for four years, originally centred on objections to more planning

Recorders dearer

By a Staff Reporter

New quota restrictions and although it is pointed out that it in the price of video recorders imported from Japan. Buyers will find that the previous lowest price of £299 will be up by about £100.

The increases are coupled with a warning from Mr William Pulton, managing director of Sony (UK), that supply will fail to keep pace with demand: he says the price of virtually all video recorders will

be affected. . Under the terms of an the Japanese Government a limit has been set at 4,550,000 a

the fluctuation of the pound has not been widely understood against the yen will mean that the figure of 4,550,000 is increases in the next few weeks not a fixed quota. The Japanese probably come down to 3,500,000 and European manufacturers cannot make up the shortfall

> In the five or so years since video recorders started to appear the price has dropped from £700-£800 to machines offering better facilities for less than £300.

Under the terms of the agreement Philips and Grundig agreement between the EEC and are able to take advantage of a guaranteed additional 1,200,000 allocation for locally produced machines. But a severe shortage year; current estimates out the machines. But a severe shortage market size at 4,800,000, of machines i being predicted.

Ripper denial Peter Sutleiffe, the Yorkshire Ripper, was not exorcized by Father Anthony Lawn while he was in Leeds prison awaiting trial, as stated in a newspaper, a Home Office minister said in a Commons written reply The five European MPs sistance that documentation accompanying all imports delays at ports, and the lack of car type approval for vehicles, and monetary committee. The British member of the quintet is Mr Basil de Ferranti (Hampshire, West) a prominent Continent. Hunting the small fry in video piracy just the tip of the iceberg. There were two aspects to the

By Our Parliamentary Staff

A delegation from the European Parliament will be in
London on Tuesday and Wednesday for talks with ministers

Besides ministers, the

about the removal of non-tariff delegation will meet members

barriers to trade within the of the Commons Select Com-

European Community. A mittee on Trade and Industry special meeting of the EEC and the appropriate sub com-Council of trade ministers has mittee of the House of Lords

been called for May 26 and the EEC Committee Further ex-European MPs want to be in a changes have been arranged

By Kenneth Gosling

Pornographers are moving into the video-piracy market, turning it into one of the most profitable filegal industries, Mr Peter Duffy, a former Scotland Yard Commander,

said yesterday. He said: "The arrival of video was manna from heaven for them. At the top end we know what we are up against --there is not just one Mr Big but several fairly bigs. The difficulty is tracking down the people at the lower end of the

Mr Duffy was recently appointed head of investi-gations for the new Federation Against Copyright Theft (Fact) and already has an efficient operations room set up in its offices in London's West End.

In another room are piled boxes and boxes of pirate videos, familiar names like Gandhi and Tootsie among

"One trade paper even voted ET the best cassette of the year even though it has never been officially released", Mr Duffy said. He thought there was a case for a significant appraisal by the cinema industry of its marketing tactics.

As a matter of policy it would not issue any video of its films. "But every feature film since we started last October has been copied, many of them very badly". I was shown a pirated copy



Peter Duffy: "People making big money".

of The Missionary with a very distorted and "stretched"

Mr Duffy said: "The man in the street will say there is no harm in a little bit of copying it is known as time-shift. But people are making big money out of paying a few hundred pounds to a projectionist to get hold of a film for a few hours.

The sad thing is people in Hollywood still say it is not policy to issue films in cassette orm. Talk about putting your head in the sand." Mr Duffy produced cas-settes of Snow White and the

Seven Dwarfs, which has never been officially produced on video because it continues to be shown year after year in the nema to fresh generations of children. "These", he said, "are worth more than the Bank of

England plates for £20 notes". Tracking down the pirates, using a network of private investigators and with the help of the police and trading standards officers, is paying off - but at a price. The operation is costing £750,000 a year, with contributions from film industry organizations ranging from £16,000 to £64,000. The tounder members of Fact were the British Videogram Associ-ation, the Motion Picture Association of America Incor-

porated and the Society of

Mr Robert Birch, Fact's director-general, is another ex-Yard man - formerly the Metopolitan Police solicitor and his deputy, Mr William McCrurie, was the senior principal legal executive at the Yard. Mr Duffy once headed the anti-terrorist squad and worked in the murder squad and against company fraud. Several gangs have already cases are pending.In oue copying centre equipment worth £250,000 was found.

Mr Birch said the change in the law increasing penalties for piracy and sale would switch the emphasis from lengthy and expensive civil proceedings to the criminal

And those who handle the illegal cassettes will think-again before risking prison sentences. "The fact is that you cannot have thieves. without receivers and the dealers must realize this." The seizure so far of 7.000 video cassettes worth more than £250,000 was, he said,

Prison suicide

Mr Michael Lamont, aged 29, of Cambridge Road, Kilburn, north-west London, accused of stealing an antique table from a Kilburn house, hanged himself in a Hampstead police cell with material torn from his shirt. A verdict that he had taken his life while of disturbed mind was recorded at St Pancras Coroner's Court yesterday.

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Soviet offer an attempt to delude public

NUCLEAR DEBATE

deterrent, to deter anyone who wished to attack Britain, Mrs Thatcher, the Prime Minister, said

She was questioned by several MPs about the Soviet wish to include British and French weapons ate nuclear forces at Geneva.

Mrs Thatcher said that Soviet attempts to include the British strategic weapon without including their own was an attempt to delude the British public which must not succeed and there was not a shadow of doubt that it was vital for Britain

Sir Anthony Kershaw (Stroud, C) began by asking: Does the Prime Minister approve of the decision of CND to send two observers to the World Peace Council sponsored by world reace counts sponsored by the Soviet Union in Prague. Would they not do better to campaign against the missiles already de-ployed in eastern Europe and

etter way to get nuclear disarma-tent is to persuade the Soviet mion to negotiate in Geneva to get

Prisoners

might be

moved

Mr Whitelaw, the Home Secretary

said he had plans to move some prisoners in London to prisons

said: Some of the wings of some of the local prisons are out of action because we are making improve-ments in maintenance which should have been done a long time ago. I have plans to make other places available where we can move people

Dr Shirley Summerskill, an Opposition spokesman on home affairs, (Halifax, Lab): The key to the alternatives to prison imposed by the courts is the probation service. Yet in his article in The Times of

oday on prison overcrowding, he

regrettable omission.
The expected increase of only 155

probation officers next year will be totally madequate if the prison

in that article to the use of non-custodial alternatives. This Govern-ment has done a great deal more for

Depriving public

of police

protection

The organizers of demonstrations and marches in London must accept their responsibilities and the possible dangers of taking police protection away from others, Mr. William Whitelaw, the Home Secretary, said during questions in the Commons.

Mr Sydney Chapman (Burnet, Chipping Bernet, C) asked the Home Secretary what criteria he took into consideration when deciding whether or not to accede to

any request to ban a march or demonstration in the Metropolis.

Mr Whitelaw: I have no power to

ban demonstrations. As to marches, the Public Order Act 1936 provides

that the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police or the Com-missioner of the City Police may.

HOME OFFICE

talks at Geneva?
The Government should consider it affects before she blocks it - a step

Mrs Thatcher: The British and reach nuclear deterrents cannot be included in the INF negotiations. Nor should they be. They are are a strategic last resort deterrent. They face many snalegic weapons from the Soviet Union, none of which they propose to include in the INF

Mr Foot: We shall be debuting this next week but is she saying there will be some other negotiations in which the British Government would be prepared to discuss the British nuclear determent as well? Is it possible for those matters to be discussed at the Start talks if not at the INF talks, if that would help

British nuclear deterrents are absolute last resort deterrents. They are already the absolute minimum to deter and we cannot give away the absolute minimum without robbing this country of a very necessary part of our defence.

Mr Chapman: Since last year over

torcequarters of a mission police man hours were used in controlling demonstrations in the Metropolis

alone, involving more than 100 officers. Would be seriously and sympathetically consider, if necessary, an extension to the Public Order Act so that the Metropolitan Police Commissioner can see for

Police Commissioner can ask for re-routing or banning of a march or

demonstration if he can show that if the march or demonstration went shead, it would impede his main priority which is fighting crime in

Summerskill: No mention of

probation service

and the danger of taking away from other people in the Metropolis the protection they want.

Mr Peter Sampe, an Opposition spokesman on home affairs (West Bromwich, East, Lab): How many police officers were engaged in controlling the demonstration in Trafalgar Square the Sunday before last organised by Lady Olga Maitand and her apper and middle class friends in support of nuclear weapons. Has the Home Secretary or anyone else in his department

or anyone else in his department considered sending the bill for policing such a demonstration to the Secretary of State for Dafence of to The Sunday Express.

Mr Whitelaw said he could not give

Mr Whitelaw said he could not give the figure without notice. If I were to send the bill to all those people who organize and ran demonstrations the majority of them would be having considerable difficulties – (Labour interruptions) i on all sides. If he would like me to send the bills, I would be pleased to do it.

Answering a question about the ize of the prison population, he said. Some of the wings of some of the local prisons are out of action are are making improve-

Opposition: Will she look afresh at the statement apparently made by SDP. Is it not clear, however, that her Government that it will object to any proposition for including the British nuclear force among the British nuclear force among the been much more coolly received in matters to be discussed at the INF London than in Washington or talks at Geneva?

The Government should consider it affects before the blocks it is a sten

Mrs Thatcher The previous question referred only to one part of those proposals. The other part was that we should count the number of warheads rather than the number of missiles. That is what Nato has

The other parts are highly complex and must be considered very carefully before comment is made on them.

Mr. Whitem Pitt (Croydon, North-West, L): In view of the news from America this morning, will she seek to encourage President Reagan to take the advice of his House of

Mrs Thatcher: No. To support a nuclear freeze would freeze in the superiority of the Soviet Union. I do not know whether that is Mr Pitt's policy but it is not that of this side. Those who want gennine disar-manment want reductions in nuclear weapons on both sides and a freeze would hinder that objective.

£50,000 prize

for joint

bingo game

Under Secretary of State, Home Office, said during questions about possible changes in the law on bingo

games were to be played and controlled would be discussed by the Home Office and the Gaming Board with the associations.

Mr Ivan Lawrence (Surton, C): There has been a decline of about 13

per cent in attendance at bingo halls in the last year and the existence of

m me last year and the existence or many is threatened. Over and above increasing the level of prize money allowed will be also consider removing some of the restrictions on advertizing?

provide a valuable social club

element, rather than the prospect of financial gain, predominates.

Mr Meller No, it is not It has always been our view that there should not be encouragement to growth in gambling. But when artendances have declined and a

reasonable proposal is put forward to allow the associations to attract some of the lost trade, it would be

wrong and damaging to the interests of those enjoying bings if we stood in the way of those proposals going forward.

Exercise at

bunker was

valuable

of a nuclear shelter, Mr Patrick Mayhew, Minister of State for Home Affairs, said.

osphere for many.

Mr Winsten Churchill (Stretford, C): Will she make clear to Mr Foot and Mr Andropov that 64 Polaris missiles, 16 of which at any time are



Nelson: Unilateralism

Mr Gavin Strang (Edinburgh, East, Lab): Mr Andropov's offer to count warheads and not just missiles is a significant Soviet concession to the significant Soviet concession to the United States and she is right to welcome it, but in view of her statement that the Government will commune to resist the long-standing Soviet proposal that British weapons be included, will she say in what circumstances, if any, the British Government is prepared to negotiate over our nuclear weapons?

irreducible minimum to deter anyone who wishes to attack us with nuclear weapons. It is vital to keep

Mr Antheny Nelson (Chichester, C): Questions of the inclusion of the British nuclear deterrent in any negotiations about arms limitation will inevitably be tautamount to unilsteral disarmament in that we unilsteral disarmament in that we would be largely doing away with the nuclear shield which is our

Mrs Thatcher: I agree that to abandon our deterrent would be one-sided disarmament. The deterrent is the first and most important part of our defence.

have marches and demonstrations, which is their democratic right, must accept their full responsibilities. I have in the green paper on public order make clear there are formidable problems of principle and practice in suggestions for making payment of costs a condition for control and indeed in deciding the costs. had a practice run, they arrived without a key at the bunker and had to wait for the caretaker who came an hour later on his bicycle. Mr Mayhew: That shows how valuable exercises are (renewed laughter). I hope he will do all he can to drive home the importance of

Making hotels pay more for TV rejected

Mrs Thatcher: It is totally wrong to suggest that our last resort strategic, submarine-based nuclear weapons should be included in talks about

weapons which are land-based mobile ones and for the Soviet

mobile ones and for the Soviet Union to suggest that leaving out of account all its strategic weapons including submarine based ones is to delude the British public. They must not succeed in doing so.

If no one in the world had nuclear

weapons we should not need a last resort nuclear deterrent.

cutting further burdens on hotels by making them pay a licence fee for each television set they had was not the answer to helping pensioners with their licence fees, Mr David Mellor, Under Scoretary of State, Home Office, said during exchanges on concessionary licences for

Mr Meller, who said there had been a decline in attendances at bingo halls, added that details of how the Mr. Nicholas Winterton (Maccles-field, C) said some local authorities appear to be abusing the system by appointing wardens merely to take control of groups of dwellings so that more elderly people could take advantage of the cheap television icences. This was particularly rife amone Labour surhorities.

among Latour authornies.

Is this fair to the public (he asked) who are responsible for the expenditure, or to the elderly people who still are unable to get the benefit of these concessionary

Mr Mellor: We recognize, as the tast Government did, that the situation is anomalous. The difficulty is that it is impossible equitably to take away a concession from those who have it. It is not economically realistic to extend it to all We are looking at ways in which we can work with the associations overall policy to see that the social He is referring to Sheffield City Conneil. They have not got permission for that scheme. We wait: Mr Patrick Cermack (South West Staffordsbire, C) asked if this meant the Government was encouraging gambling.

to hear from them about it. It should not be assumed that permission would fall within the terms of the scheme. Mr Rsy Hattersley, chief Opposition spokesmen on home affairs, (Birmingham, Sparkbrook, Lab): Those who want to help pensionecs believe that the cost could in part be met by a proper charge being levied on hotels and other commercial premises which pay a single television licence fee for what in the case of the Savoy Hotel, is 365

case of the Savoy Hotel, is 365 elevision receivers.

Mr Meller: I do not think that putting further burdens on the hotel sector which gives employment to people, is really the answer.

The Labour Party has made a promise on this point, but it is not as easy as it sounds; without unfair Mr Michael Neabert (Havering, Romford, C. I would like him to send some bills to those organizations which put on demonstrations in the streets of Lordon Annual Mayhew, Minister of State Co. consequences on others, to grant this concession to pensioners across

order banning all marches or any class of march, but only if he believes that his other powers of control under the Act will be insufficient to prevent marches occasioning serious public disorder.

In each case, I consider the commissioner's reasons for reaching his operational judgment. Beyond that, specific considerations may vary. But I always reach my decision on whether or not to Mr Whitelaw. Those who decide to the same of the same of the property of the same of the property of the property of the can get there but the people of Bootle cannot."

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Bills Solvent Abuse (Scotland) Bill,
report. Charities Bill, report. Dog
Licences (Miscellaneous Provisions)
Bill and Age Discrimination Bill,
second readings. Lords (11): Private
member's Bill: Parachial Charities
(Neighburthood Tursts) Bill. ser. (Neighbourhood Trusis) Bill, sec-

Stumbling over poll question

GENERAL ELECTION

Mrs Thatcher, the Prime Minister once again refused in the Commons to be drawn on the subject of the election date, even though she was accused of putting party advantage before the country's good in deferring a decision until she had had a chance to analyse the local election results.

Itchen, SDP) commented Her decision to postpone telling this

moral gestures, she is the same as all the rest - a cynical person prepared

Mr Michael Foot, Leader of the Opposition: When the Prime Minister said earlier this week that she would amounce the date in the normal method, was she referring to the story attributed to the Home where it is said: "June 9 is poll date

- Whitelaw".

If that is the case, should she not

Mrs Thatcher: I do not think that merits a reply. (Labour protests.) Mr. Foot: She cannot dismiss the matter that way. Is she repeating the statement which appears in *The* Birmingham Post? Or is it false, and will she be correcting the Home Secretary on the matter?

Mrs Thatcher: I have nothing to add to what I said last week on the

Cults buying farm land

The Agricultural Holdings (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill, which amends the law relating to termination of tenancies and variation of rent of agricultural holdings in Scotland, was read a second time in the House of Lords. second time in the House of Lords.

During the debate Lord Rugby (Ind), a Warwickshire farmer, speaking of the need for young men with families and with limited capital to be given an opportunity to start up farms, said there had been a large spreading of religious cults buying land and bringing in their followers, as cheap labour, to act as workers on the land.

They transpurably you the hemofite.

Owners would have the right to sell their homes on site and no longer have to offer first refusal to the site operator. The maximum commission charged to them on a sale would be cut from 15 per cent to 10 per cent.

Mr Eldon Griffiths (Bury St Edmunds, C) said relationships were generally good between the home owners and site operators. It

responsible body, had suggested as an alternative to the new clauses that where the owner had offered

The changes had been designed to deal with some recalcinant site owners who might otherwise ignore their obligations under legislation. The site owners had been well served by those who put their point of view and they had nothing to fear from this new legislation.

from this new legislation.

Mr Michael McNair-Wilson (Newbury, C) said he welcomed the new clauses. They struck a fair balance between site owners and mobile home occupiers, although some mobile home residents' associations were concerned about how the Bill might work out in law.

For metance an annual review of

The National Mobile Home Residents' Association wondered why using the services of a local rent officer had not been considered.

He agreed broadly with this because the courts involved a lot of expense and put owners of mobile homes at some disadvantage.

Residents' associations felt they might have been included in the Bill as an authoritative body with which

site owners could be expected to negotiate. They felt a bit neglected. megoriate. They felt a hit neglected.

Mr Nicholas Lyell (Hemel rent officer, they wer not talking about tenants but owner-occupiers

most cases that meant indefinitely.

home residents doing battle with rapacious owners. But there were sometimes problems and he agreed the Bill had the right balance between the two interests.



fair balance

offer or to decline the offer in writing within that period the offer should be treated as accepted.

The case was conclusive for the adoption of this simple amendment

rather than the complicated and possibly impracticable new clauses. Mr Stephen Ross (Isle of Wight, L) said the new clauses were a great step forward, but there were still serious gaps. The first concerned the sanctions available to occupiers should the site owner not comply with the requirements of the clauses. It was a pity that they had to go through the courts as this would deter people.

The Government's amendments did nothing to end the scandal of premium payments. The problem could be compared with the problem of key money in the house sector. If only the rent officer could have been drawn in to deal with the Mr Iver Stanbrook (Bromley,

Orpington, C) said he welcomed the Bill and the Government's new clauses. The Bill represented a substantial improvement in the substantial improvement in the position of mobile home residents. There would be many cases who both sides did not agree to an arbitrator and this could be a difficulty

Sir George Young, said he did not see how the Bill would make anyone worse off than under the existing agreements. If a site owner had agreements. It a saw owner had already voluntarily conceded better provisions than the implied terms would oblige him to do, he was not likely to go to court and use the new implied terms to take away those rights already given. If people wanted to give extra rights on top of the implied rights there was nothing to stop them.

search powers for police

do so.

Mr Eldon Griffiths (Bury St.
Edmunds, C) asked during the
debate for an estimat of the increase
in paper work which would have t
undertaken by the police as a result
of the Bill and Mr Mellor said he Mr Griffiths said the filing syste

police officers unable to operate because they were spending their time as pen pushers. There ought to

Better deal for residents

Changes made to stop and

avoid confusion if two officers at the same station had the same name.

Mr Mayhew moved an amendment

Mr Mayhew moved an amendment allowing an officer to use reasonable force if necessary to conduct a search or to detain a person of vehicle for the purpose of a search. Mr Snape said that led into the realms of subjective judgment by the officer concerned. Would an aggrieved motorist who might miss an interview and lose a job as a result of being stopped, be able to claim compensation if it was subsequently proved he was inmo-

Mr Mayhew said what was "immovable force" demanded upon the circumstances and the test to be

was necessary in the circumstances to permit the officer toe carry out that which had een authorized.

Not to have that power would nullify the point of the power to stop and search because otherwise an officer would not be able to counter any resistance.

MOBILE HOMES

POLICE BILL

Several changes were made early today to the provisions in the Police and Criminal Evidence Bill relating

to the powers of the police to stop and search. The report stage of the Bill, which was adjourned at 1.37

Among the many Government amendments agreed to was one which Mr Patrick Maybew, Minister of State. Home Office, said would have the effect of making it unlikely that people would be

nuly sever me eners or making it

of State, Rome Office, required that

a police officer proposing to undertake a search, should state his

Mr Peter Suspe (West Bromwich, East, Lab), for the Opposition, said it would have been helpful if the

Under the Mobile Homes Bill, the Government sought to improve still further the protection to mobile home residents while not adversely

of State for the Environment, said during the Bill's report stage. He moved a series of new clauses and amendments to introduce an element of implied terms which guaranteed certain rights for mobile homes residents which would further strengthen the protection provided by the Bill.

He said site owners would be required to provide residents with a

them.

The new approach would leave the site owners free to negotiate with their residents on a local basis those matters which ought to be negotiated locally: pitch fees, what services the owners would provide and details of residents' obligations.
Resident would be guaranteed security of tenure and the right to sell on sits from the moment the Bill serve into feese.

sell on site from the moment the Bill came into force.

This Bill would make a significant difference to the lives of a lot of people who lived on mobile home sites. Without these smeadments it would have strengthened the residents' position in a number of ways, and with them, it would improve on that protection still improve on that protection still more in a way that would not adversely affect the interests of site

owners.

We have striven (he said) to maintain a fair balance between the interests of site owners and residents. The Government has responded in a positive way to the Mr Edward Graham, an Opposition

spokesman on the environment (Enfield, Edmonton, Lab), said the substantial improvements Labour had sought were contained in these new clauses and they were grate Instead of being dependent on a Instead of being dependent on a written agreement, now even when there was a conflict between implied terms and the written agreement, the implied terms were the ones which would prevail.

The changes had been designed to the change had bee

For instance, an annual review of pitch fees would still be permitted and this was in practice likely to be an annual increase. There was no arbitration machinery other than the courts. There was no independent control over rent charges.

The National Mobile Home

as an authoritative body with which

making it reprospective but no MF regarded reprospection with enthusi-

without an order fixing the maximum level of commission a site owner could charge and the order could be made in the week between Royal Assent and com-

to prevent unreasonable terms being imposed by an unreasonable site operator on such important matters as services, repairing obligations, site rules or access arrangements. Mr Lyell said he supported the amendment with others of a similar kind which he had tabled. They sought to give judicial discretion to courts in the case of mobile homes as in the case of other residential

accommodanos.

Sir George Young said with Mr
Graham's amendment there could
be lengthy agreements now in force to terminate them on the grounds of He moved a series of Government amendments to provide that the court had to be satisfied that the

resident had breached his agree-ment, and had been served with ment, and man been served with a notice to remedy the breach and had failed to compty with it in reasonable time.

Without these amendments there

was a danger that the courts would have no discretion and no option breached was trivial. Mr. Graham's amendment we negatived. The Government amendments and Mr. Lyell amendments were agreed to.

Next week

The main business in the House of.

Commons next week will be: Monday: Police and Criminal Evidence Bill, completion of Evidence Bill, completion of remaining stages.
Tuesday and Wednesday: Debate on defence and disarmament.
Thursday: Importation of Milk Bill, second reading, Opposed private Bills: Milford Haven Conservancy Bill, third reading, King's College London Bill, Standard Chartered Merchant Bank Bill, and Lloyds Bowmaker Bill, second readings. Friday: Private members' Bills: National Audit Bill, remaining stages Broadcasting of Parliament (Annual Review) Bill, committee.
The main business in the House The main business in the House of Lords will be:

or Lords will be: Menday: Energy Bill, third reading. County Courts (Penalties for Contempt) Bill, second reading. of Fish Bill, second reading.
Tuesday: Telecommunications Bill,
committee, second day.
Wednesday: Debate on industrial

production.
Thursday: Housing and Building
Control Bill, report.
Friday: National Heritage Bill and
Mobile Homes Bill, Commons

Kohl stands firm despite pressure from right From Michael Binyon, Bonn Solid, old-fashioned, long-winded and rather dull is how

in Christian Democratic circles that Dr Kohn did not make any

noticeable concessions to the nouceable concessions to the ceneva could be commuted weapons in the autumn.

right, or allow the demands of with talks on strategic weapons. The three-day debate, which bis coalition partner, Herr and whether the British and began immediately after the Franz Josef Strauss, to have any French missiles could be in Chancellor's speech; will deal visible effect on his policies. cluded. And his determination to pursue a dialogue with the East while remaining firmly an-chored in the Western alliance has met with overwhelming Aigel spoke at length on future lacking in brilliance — he is relations with East. Germany, certainly no great orator — and at the Government's social of dispute within the coalition, are set his qualities of modera

the next four years, and good neighbourly relations.

attempted to meet the challeng— The Greens, who made the

obstruction and would give full plans to deploy the new Nato

For CSU members, who complicated details of the fiscal

Most criticism was directed which have been a main point platitudinous. But against that at the Government's social political political reform. Herr Hans-Jochen politic, denounced East German skill in playing down the Vogel, the Social Democratic barassment of West German divisions within his coalition. Voget, the Social Democratic harassment of West German divisions within his coalition, leader, said Dr Kohl's provisitors and called on East Most commentators admitgramme was no solid basis for Berlin to do more to encourage ted that Herr Vogel showed

the 1950s.

Herr Vogel, however, promised that his party would support what was worth supporting, would offer constructive opposition rather than called for an immediate halt to him the election in March.

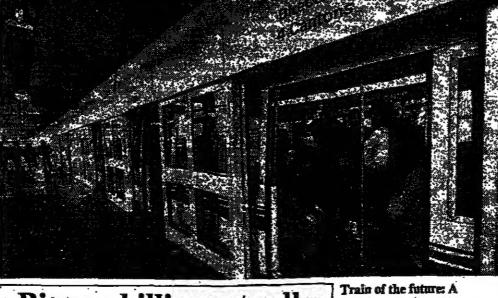
presence clear with an attempt opposition. But the Chancellor to unfitted a flag during the was unruffled by cuitissm and appeared confident that his programme represents the broad consensus within his coalition and the line that won tive opposition rather than

winded and rather dull is how most Germans have judged Chancellor Kohl's declaration of the next four years.

There is a general satisfaction in Christian Democratic circles wanted to know whether the strength and physical existence" intermediate arms talks in into the fight against the Geneva could be combined weapons in the autumn.

appeared somewhat aggrieved reforms
that their demands had been. The Chancellor's perform-

ood neighbourly relations. greater incisiveness, a seff-confi-The Greens, who made their dent beginning as leader of the es of today with the recipes of presence clear with an attempt opposition. But the Chancellor



Bizarre killings at rally Manila (Renter) - At least 36 by local newspapers to have people died in bizarre circum-been hacked to death by other

Philippines, according to the faith-healing powers.

Health Ministry. The others apparent

stances at a month-long re- members of the sext after they igious rally in the southern lost confidence in the leader The others apparently died The deaths occurred on from gastro-enteritis caused by Mindanao island in March at a insamitary conditions at the

convention organized by a sect camp where the rally was held called the Philippine Benevolin a remote part of Misamis ent Christian Missionaries province. The regional health Association of Mercy.

A health spokesman said that followers had prevented health 10 of the victims were reported officials from entering

double gates system seen operating on the new automated underground system in Lille, France, which doubles the safety by coupling the doors of the train with platform gates.

The system is controlled by a five-man crew through 25 video screens which map the trains progress every two seconds. Controllers can talk to passengers through a telephone in each carriage

Italy picks June 26 as polling day From Peter Nichols Rome This weekend will see the first plunge by Italy's political

leaders into the election cam-paign after the Cabinet yester-day set June 26 and 27 as polling days.

The Cabinet meeting lasted

five minutes indicating that the Christian Democrats had abandoned hope of a date a week earlier. They argued that the summer holidays would have begun by the last week in June. In fact, they discovered that a million Italians had already booked to be away by June 26 but their coalition partners saw no virtue in an earlier date. Fears have been expressed that the wounding on Tuesday

of Professor Gino Giugni, a Socialist expert in social legis-

lation, could foreshadow re-newed terrorist violence during

the campaign. The second fear in these early stages is that the voting will be marked by many abstentions and blank voting slips. This is believed likely because of the absence of a central issue in the campaign and a growing dissat-isfaction with the conduct of the principal political parties.

Tongues of parrots off the menu From Richard Hughes Hougkong

Chinese gournets in Hong-kong are amused rather than

angered over the Westminster protest by Sir Anthony Royle, the former Aviation Minister, against the serving of parrot tongues and monkey brains in restaurants.

Sir Anthony's demand that the Hongkong Government ban these dishes came after a report to him by Mr Fred Thomas, the Hongkong chief In a written parliamentary

reply (prominently reported by the Hongkong press yester-day) Mr Malcolm Rifkind, Under Secretary of State at the Foreign Office, said The Hongkong Government has no knowledge of parrots' tongues or monkeys' brains being served in Hongkong res-taurants."

It is an open secret that monkey brains are often prepared for private parties and at celebration dinners in although they are not listed on

Tactical victory for Republicans on nuclear freeze vote

months, the House of Representatives finally passed a resol-ution late on Wednesday night calling for a "mutual and verifiable freeze and reductions in nuclear weapons" by the superiority and would weaken United States and the Soviet the hand of American nego-Union. The vote was 278 to

However, the political impact of this resolution was considerably reduced by a Republican amendment, approved earlier in the evening that would revoke the freeze if it was not followed by negotiated arms reductions" within a reasonable, specified

The amendment represented for the Republicans, as it saved President Reagan from suffering vet another setback on the freeze issue. A day earlier, America's Roman Catholic bishops had voted overwhelm-ingly to endorse a pastoral letter calling for a halt to the testing, production and deployment of new nuclear weapons.

Mr Robert Michel, the House Republican leader, described the amentment as "a Victory unthinkable only weeks ago Mr Elliott Levitas, a Democrat who backed the amendament, There must be reductions, or else the freeze

The freeze resolution is nonbinding and is regarded as a symbolic expression of the rapidly-growing grass-roots campaign against the nuclear arms race. This anti-nuclear sentiment was eloquently ex-pressed in the Roman Catholic bishop's 150-page letter, en-titled: The Challengwe of Peace; God's promise and our response.

The freeze resolution now

The Administration lobbied strongly against the beyond the imagination. freeze because, it maintains, it in a position of nuclear tiators at the twi sets of missile talks in Geneva.

Depite the watering down of the final version of the resolution, supporters in the House of the freeze seemed pleased with the outcome, dismissing the amendment as a "nuisance at best", Mr. Thomas (Tip) O'Neill, the House Speaker. described the resolution as a "unique instance in the history a considerable sactical victory of arms control," adding that it was a message from the American people to recognize that "the onrushing train of nuclear weapons must be

stopped". Congressmen confirmed that both the bishop's letter and the latest proposal for nuclear arms reductions by Mr Yuri Andro-pov, the Soviet leader, had had an impact on the vote.

The Administration's reaction to the pastoral letter has Reagan was putting to the been deliberately low-key, even Russians was: "If not climinbeen deliberately low-key, even though it represents a direct challenge to the Administ-

ration's nuclear policies.

Mr Reagan said he had little quarrel with the letter, the full text of which he had not yet "It really is a legitimate effort to do exactly what we are doing and that is to try and find ways towards world peace."

LONDON: Mr Reagan's recent decision to spend more listic missile systems could only benefit Nato, according to one Mr Meese, who is counsellor of his closest White House to the President described it as aides, Henry Stanhope writes.

goes to the Republican-con- the Cambridge University strategic doctrines trolled Senate, where its fate is Union that it was too early to arms control talks. uncertain. Mr Reagan has said predict the results. But the idea

After 53 hours of contentious he will veto the measure if it -r dubbed Star Wars technology debate spread over the past two reaches the White House. when announced by the President six weeks ago - was not

> The US would share such would leave the Soviet Union technology with the allies, thus in a position of nuclear ensuring "linkage" across the Atlantic, he said last night in the Lord Mountbatten annual Memorial Lecture. There was a moral attractiveness" about placing the emphasis on defensive systems instead of on an endless accumulation of offen-Sive weapons.

> > He said that the President was also trying to promote "early and genuine" progress in the Geneva talks on intermediate-range nuclear forces through his latest proposal for an Mr Paul Nitze, the chief

American negotiator, had told the Russians that the US would "substantially reduce" the number of cruise and Pershing 2 missiles which are due to be deployed in Western Europe from December, if the Soviet Union would cut the number of its own warheads to an equal global ceiling.

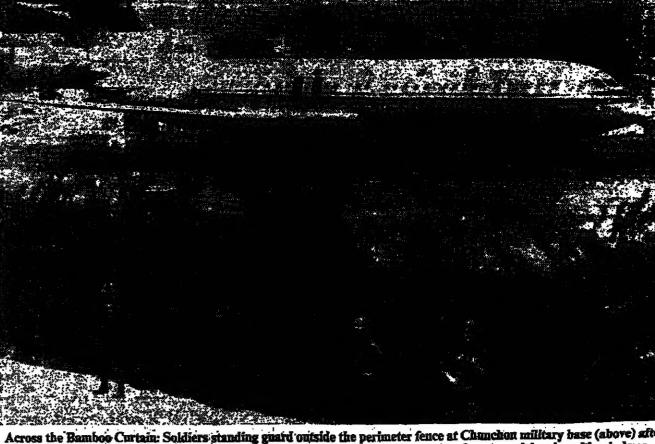
The question which Mr ation, to what equal level are

you willing to reduce?"

The US had perceived the need to apply imagination to the problems posed by the arms race in Europe. "We are hopeful that the Soviet leadership understands our emphasis or the ultimate goal of removing an entire class of nuclear weapons. An interim agreement should not simply be a resting pause before the next crescendo

in the arms race, Mr Meese, who is counsellor a tragedy that the superpowers Mr Edwin Meese admitted to had not agreed on common Cambridge University strategic doctrines during the

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Across the Bamboo Curtain: Soldiers standing guard outside the perimeter fence at Chunchon military base (above) after the hijack of the Chinese Trident to South Korea. Below, a crew member watches from one of the aircraft's windows.

Chinese jet hijack triggers invasion alert in S Korea

with 105 people on board triggered an invasion alert yesterday when it flew across Commist North Korea and the demilitarized zone and landed

The aircraft landed at a US airbase at Chunchon, 45 miles north-east of Seoni and 30 miles south of the demilitarized zone that separates

North and South Korea.

Two wounded crew members who had been shot in the hijacking, were taken off the nijecking, were taken out the aircraft on stretchers and transferred to hospital. The passengers and other crew were allowed to leave the aircraft and were taken to a hotel in Chunchon seven hours

after landing.

The China State Airlines plane was a British-built Trident on a scheduled flight from Shenyang in Manchuria to Shanghai. Three of the passengers were Japanese, the rest Chinese.

Residents of Seoul realized there was an emergency when, only minutes before the airinterrupted by an air raid

announced that an enemy attack was imminent and warned that the raid was a real one, not an exercise. About three minutes later, however, the spokesman cancelled the warning without further explanation, and a three-hour news blackout followed before the Defence Ministry announced

the landing of the alriner.

The pilot entered South
Korean air space just before
2pm local time (5am GMT)
and signalled to a South
Korean Air Force patrel aircraft that he wanted

The aircraft was shown on South Korean television, its passengers looking out of the windws and fanning them-selves, its wheels ploughed into the grass off the runway. Pictures showed US and South Korean soldiers passing food and soft drinks on board.

the pilot had immediately asked to see the Taiwanese or and it was rethe Taiwanese Embassy Seoul had gone to the airfield.

There was little reaction in Seoul to the air raid warning, as most offices and shops were closed and many people were out of town or visiting pleasure parks to celebrate Children's

In February this year, a North Korean Air Force

M Yuri Andropov, the

Argentina

From Our Own Correspondent

"unacceptable and such as to

The sharp increase in tension

THE HAGUE: A former

Argentine police official has claimed that some civilians who

disappeared during Argentina's "dirty war" are still in govern-

ances are continuing. AP

internal affairs of Argentina".

regime.

ويكذا من رلامل

In Taipei, A Taiwanese Foreign Ministry official said: "all gennine freedom seekers" would be welcomed in Taiwan. It was the first successful attempt to bijack a Chinese commercial aircraft.

captain, Li Ung-Pyong, aged 28, defected to South Korea in his Chinese-built MiG 19 and also in a MiG 19, to South is plugged Korea last October and later went to Taiwan.

with Iran

Gracie the goat disappeared from Kamper Park Zoo in the floods that engulied the Missis-

TECOVET. This move will not have

Societ mission there came under attack from Afghan

The over three years, Moscow kept up its overnies. Only in the past few months did disenchantment become noticeable as the first sharp press attacks on the course of the Iranian revolution appeared. The Soviet media has so far remained silent on both the decision to expel the diplomats. who were accused of interfering in internal affairs, and the bamming of the Tudeh Party.

confession from Tudeh leader had spied for Moscow.

moderation, we have been guided by concern for the long-term Franco-Soviet relations, which are important for us and which have been built up over a long period in the interests of our period in the interest of our period

This move will not have surprised Moscow, but the Kremlin will deeply regret what amounts to a final affirmation of complete failure in its policy towards Iran, one Western analyst of Middle Eastern affirm said.

After the radical Muslim leadership took control in

ution and offered political

trade.
The ruling Iranian clergy remained cool towards Moscow's wooing even at the height of its confrontation with the United States over the detention of American hostages in the US Embassy in Tehran. On the Societ side, there were

students, and evidence of directences within the Moscow party leadership over how to approach the Iranian Govern-

The move against the party, which was proscribed under the Shah, followed a televised

Mr Nureddin Kiznuri that he Moscow has also made no mention of this, although Pravda last month attacked the

vestern diplomats predicted

Madrid. - The military wing

years.

hunt for

submarines Stockholm - The Swedish

Navy yesterday continued its hunt for at least two suspected Soviet midget submarines off its east coast, Christopher Mosey

Two depth charges were dropped and divers sent down

into the bay near the industria

town of Sundsvall where two mines were detonated on Wednesday night. The Navy said it could not release news of

its findings.

Major Bengt Sjoholm, the
Defence Ministry spokesman,

said it was "highly unlikley"

the explosion unscathed. He

refused to comment on the

possibility of it having been

Moscow (AP) - Mr Konstan-tin Chernenko, believed to have

been the main rival of Mr Yuri Andropov, the Soviet leader, in

the leadership contest, has pneumonia, his office said

yesterday, confirming accounts about his health given earlier by

other Soviet sources.
Mr Chernenko who is 71, has

not been seen in public for more

than a month, missing four important party gatherings and

prompting speculation about his status. He was recently absent from May Day celebrations in Red Square.

Geneva (AP) - Two Swiss

women aged 19 and 25 have

claimed responsibility for the savage killing of a Saudi diplomat, aged 51, whose sexually mutilated body was found in a Geneva hotel on

it looked like an act of

revenge given the nature of the injuries, the investigating magistrate said. The victim,

whose name was withheld, had rented a flat at the hotel since mid-1981. He was a cultural

attache with the Saudi mission

Brussels - The nuclear pov

plant at Tihange on the Meuse resumed normal working after a

10-day break for repairs to a pump. A small amount of slightly radioactive water which leaked through the pump was

all collected and stored, Inter-

com, the company running the plant, said. None of it escaped

Hattiesburg (AP) - Ever since

Jumbo loss

A-plant leak

Women admit

killing Saudi

Chernenko has

pneumonia

writes.

of the extreme leftwing organization ETA claimed responsibility for the nutriers in Bilbao of a police corporal, his pregnant wife and a police lieutenant. The military wing also seriously wounded another policeman with machine gun fire at Guernica.

Barrel coffins

San Francisco (AP) - The decomposed bodies of a black man and two white women were found inside two comensealed steel barrels deposited on Tuesday night in Golden Gate Park. The women were in one barrel, the man in the other.

Ethiopia call-up Addis Ababa (Reuter)

Ethiopia, whose professional army is thought to be the largest in black Africa, has introduced compulsory military service for men between 16 and 30. Six months' training will be followed by two years in the Army. police or border guard.

Freedom leap

Paris (AP) - An engineer Prague jumped from the airliner during its stopover at Orly, breaking a leg in doing so, and asked to go to Canada. The pilot demanded he be put back on board but the airport officials

All perish

Bangkok (AP) - All 31 people on a Thai Air Force C123 turboprop transport were killed when it crashed while landing at the Takhli air base. Most of the victims were mechanics being switched from another base.

Pigs ahoy

Apia, Western Samoa (Reur er) - About 300 pigs living on Fakaofo atoll in the Tokelan Islands of the South Pacific

City dug up

Moscow (AP) - Archeologists have discovered what they think is the ancient city of Shahrihaivor under the Kiminekuum desert in Soviet Uzbekis Leading article, page 11 | tan, Tass reports.

Crucial day for Shultz shuttle

From Christopher Walker, Jerusalem

The personal reputation of thern Lebanon will be covered Mr George Shultz, the Secretary in separate letters of under-of State, as well as the standing standing, rather than the main of American foreign policy in body of the agreement. the Middle East hangs on the outcome of an emergency continued, the Israeli Govern-session of the Israeli coalition ment again emphasized that the

The meeting has been con-remained: 1 the prior evacu-vened by Mr Menachem Begin, ation of the estimated 7,000 the Prime Minister, to decide Palestinian fighters; 2 the Israel's reaction to the lengthy simultaneous withdrawal of all draft agreement between Israel and Lebanon which Mr Shultz has hammered out during his hectic maiden shuttle mission

to the region. It is generally recognized that there can be no chance of America pressing forward with plans for a wider Middle East framework until all foreign armies can be persuaded to

leave Lebanese soil. Despite official American optimism that the agreement will be clinched by the time Mr Shultz leaves for Damascus tomorrow for the more difficult second leg of his trip to secure Syrian acquiescence, Israeli officials maintained the suspense throughout yesterday with a lengthy series of meetings designed to secure "clarifi-

By last night, it became clear that one of the central issues on which the Cabinet will have to decide is the role of the Israelibacked Lebanese militia leader. Major Saad Haddad. There were indications that ministers would be asked to change their original demand that he be appointed overall military commander of southern Leba-

non.

There were predictions that the Cabinet session may include an attempt by Mr Ariel Sharon, the former Defence Minister and chief architect of the Lebanon war, to ensure that Israel does not agree to con-cessions in the security field. Heis likely, to be out-voted by supporters of his successor, Mr Moshe Arens.

the key issues, the role of Major Haddad and the future of

again From Roger Boyes Warsaw

While the last-minute talks

ment again emphasized that the Cabinet due to begin this non-negotiable conditions of morning.

Description of the interest of the pulling its army out of Lebanon conditions.



New President sworn in

Mr Chaim Herzog, the popular former Labour Party politician, journalist, and ex-head of military intellegence, who was formally sworn in as the sixth President of Isreal in the Knesset last night. He succeeds Mr Yitzhak Navon, who has yet to take a final decision whether he will return

to political life. The election of Mr Herzog, who was born in Belfast and is the son of a former Chief Rabbi of Ireland, provided a serious political setback to the ruling coalition of Mr Mena-chem Begin, the Prime Minis-ter, whose own little-known candidate was beat in a Kesset

Mr Herzog, who is 64, has pledged to try to heal divisions in Israeli socity.

Bishops call for amnesty

The Polish Catholic Church issued a fresh appeal yesterday Government to life martial law, free political prisoners and reinstate sacked Solidarity activists in con-nexion with the Pope's visit to

demonstrations and clashes. police has added a new source

these problems in their com-munique but church sources made clear that they will be raised in the next meeting of the joint Church-State Commission. The call for an amnesty echoes the sentiment voiced recently in a private letter from the Pope to the

lablonski. It is evident both from the phrasing of the communique and from other church declarations that the freeing of political prisoners or the lifting of martial law are not strict preconditions of the papal visit. The Government has already stated that the present process of granting elemency to individ-uals is sufficient and that the

Poland next month.

The call came in a communique after a two-day meeting of Poland's bishops in Czestechowa, which was dominated by the subject of the papal visit. There is considerable despite Government's statemenmis to the contrary exacerbated by the past week of

Many of the protests began after the celebration of Mass, despite official warnings that the church should distance itself from social unrest, A mysterious break-in into a Franciscan convent in Warsaw by an organized group of young men in plain clothes believed by church activists to be security

The bishops did not mention

Poish head of state, Professor granting of a general amnesty

would be premeture. The church leadership is trying to avert a situation similar to that which occurred last December when martial law last December when martial law was suspended but simultaneously the penal code was tightened.

has been staying in London.

The judge, Señor Luis Lerga, who is inquiring into alleged accountancy fraud, illegal trans-

Paris keeps spy arrest secret Five Frenchmen suspected of has been kept secret, however. Explaining that decision in an

having passed secrets to Rus- He was apparently caught redsian agents were arrested by handed as he was passing magazine, Der Spiegel, on April
French intelligence officers important secrets in the Bois 25 M Vari Androgov the ence officers in shortly before the expulsion d'Arcy on the outskirts of Paris from France on April 5 of 47 to a Russian "contact" at the Russian trade mission in Paris, alleged Soviet spies. Russian trade mission in Paris.
Three were later released Although those arrests did

working for a foreign power.

M Patrick Guerrier, aged 25,
an archivist with a precision the dossier compiled by Preach
engineering firm, is suspected of
having given photocopies of Russian diplomats and other
confidential plans belonging to officials, who included M
the firm to a commercial Eugene Moukhine, the chief attaché at the Russian Embassy press attaché at the Russian

of great importance. Unesco,
The arrest of M Inge (his first So far no reprisals have been name is not known), an taken against the French by the engineer and inventor, aged 57, Russians.

in Paris. His arrest in Meaux. Embassy, three Russians work-just outside of Paris, at the end ing for the Unesco secretariat in of March was made public at Paris, and a number of the the time and is not considered official Russian delegation to

after questioning, but two are not lead directly to the expos-still in custody, charged with sion of the alleged Soviet spies,

preserving détente in Europe :.. "I do not want the blame for the grossly provocative action against the Soviet people to fail on the French socialists, and even the communists." The Kremlin's decision to show moderation should not be interpreted as proof of the guilt of the expelled Russians, how-ever. He insisted, "If anyone interprets our attitude in that

way, they understand nothing about Soviet foreign policy. Rumasa's former owner Rome envoy fails to appear in court recalled by

Señor Jose Maria Ruiz fer of money abroad, and non-Mateos, the former owner of the Rumasa business empire expropriated in February by the Spanish Government, failed to appear in court here yesterday.

magistrate's summons.
Since shortly after the takeor ordered by the González Government to avoid a crash which would have threatened the Spanish banking system, Senor Ruiz Mateos, aged 52,

government lawyers, demands for a warrant for the immediate arrest of Senor Ruiz Mateos. Instead he ordered him to

appear in court next Tuesday, granting him a second chance to show that he was not seeking to pervert the course of justice. The judge said that lawyers for Señor Ruiz Mateos, who has denied the charges several times through the press, had not given sufficient reason for his non-

discussions on the establish-ment of full diplomatic re-lations with the five communist countries.

to exploit" his absence,

ment last week. The Argentine Embassy said, that Senor Rodolfo Luchetta had been recalled "indefinately" for consultations on the crisis. The Italian Foreign Ministry said no decision had been taken on a possible recall of Signor Sergio Kociancich, the Italian Ambassador in Buenos Aires, appearance. A memorandum from Signor Kociancich asking for information about the fate of 407

Chief Leabua Jonathan, the Prime Minister of Lesotho, the Commonwealth enclave sur-rounded by South African territory, leaves today on a visit to Peking, North Korea, Yugo-slavia, Romania and Bulgaria.

ment-run concentration camps, and that the political disappear

Pretoria, too, is viewing Chief Jonathan's travel plans with

Soviet links at new low

Soviet leader, said: "In showing expulsion of 18 Soviet diplo-

neighbour. Western diplomats in Moscow said the decision to expel ETA's murders the envoys, announced on Wednesday, brought Sovietsince the 1979 Islamic revolntion and most predicted that relations would not easily

leadership took control in Teman in 1979, the Soviet Umon repeatedly expressed support for the Islamic revolcooperation and increased

Argentina has recalled its Ambassador to Italy amid the deepening crisis between the two countries over the hundreds of Italians among the thousands of "disappeared ones" declared dead by the Argentine Governoccasional signs of anger with Tehran, especially when the

lalians and people of Italian descent has been roughly rejected by the Argentine Foreign Ministry and called represent interefrence in the came after a scathing attack at the weekend by President Pertini on Argentina's military

Pravide last monus asserting have learnt to swim and have learnt to swim and living on a diet of seasings.

Soviet agent were small molluses and fish.

"The Argentine military in the Soviet leadership would not junta still keeps political prisoners in secret." Senor Rodolfo Fernandez said, contradicting than a sharp commentary on the junta's "final document on the treatment or the Tudeh the treatment or the Tudeh Party. the war against subversion and terrorism issued last week.

ransvaal. Each house, again by being "own affairs" - i.e.

The Bill provides for a new majority vote, would nominate matters on which each house

It is understood that two of

powerful executive presidency.

ruling National Party last year.

The reforms, entitled the

Pretoria unveils long-awaited reforms

ultimate control in white hands elected on a separate voters' the President through the office of a new and role. The 21 million Africans The Bill gives very wide would remain unrepresented. ould remain unrepresented. powers to the President. He The parliament would have a would initiate and have the Constitution of the Republic of total of 308 members. The final say on legislation, appoint South African Bill 1983, were existing House of Assembly, ministers, and could dissolve placed before Parliament by Mr with its 178 members, would and summon Parliament at will.

and immediately opposed by Representatives of 85 members the far-right Conservative Par-The liberal Progressive Fedreal Party which considers the would combine the ceremonial lation, and in determining reforms grossly inadequate and executive functions pre-because they exclude black sently exercised by the state the heading of "general affairs" Africans: said it would not President and the Prime Minis- or "own affairs". oppose the Bill at this stage. The first major test of white reaction will come next week in four college composed of 50 whites, crucial by elections in the 25 coloureds and 13 Asians.

The new constitution lists social welfare, education, housing, health, agriculture, arts, culture and recreation as largely

The South African Government yesterday unveiled its long-awaited country's 4.6 million whites, 2.7 This means that so long as it million whites, 2.7 This means that so long as it million whites, 2.7 This means that so long as it million whites and 850,000 Asians (almost all house, the National Party and would have to be approved and would have to be approved. multiracial parliament, but keep Indians). Each house would be would control the election of

Chris Heunis, the Minister of become the white house. To this He could only be removed if all Constitutional Development, would be added a House of three houses separately passed a Representatives of 85 members vote of no-confidence. The President would also ty, which broke away from the Deputies of 45 members for have a crucial role in resolving deadlocks when the three

sidered to be "general affairs" and would have to be approved

by a majority in each house. The parliament would never vote jointly on anything, so it would not be possible for an alliance to be formed across the colour lines to outvote the majority group in the White. It is acknowledged, However, that there would be grey areas between "general" and "owm" affairs, and the President would

decide in these cases. It is far

from clear, For example, whether matters affecting Afri-

cans would continue to be

solely a white concern or

become a "general" matter. If the houses cannot agree on "a general" matter, the Presi-dent can himself submit a new version of the offending legis lation, or ask the President's Council for a raling.

Lesotho Cabinet opposes chief's tour to the east From Our Own Correspondent Johnnesburg

He is expected to hold

Sources said that the tour had been strongly opposed by the Lesotho Cabinet. The Prime Minister has been warned that the Lesotho Liberation Army, the militant wing of the opposition Basuto Congress Party, which he outlawed in 1970, could be expected "fully

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Princess braves modern perils of the turbulent Khyber Pass

here for six months, ever since of heroin on the streets of Mr William French Smith, the London comes from Pakistan American Attorney-General, Sharkh Jumir was arrested in had an uncomfortable time Landi Kotal by the Palistan when he arrived in the streets of authorities who need a ruse.

was actually under way was it Khan, "so we cannot reveal finally decided that the pass was how we did it."

trade, which had developed so had now descended. fast that the Khyber had taken the place of the Golden Triangle in South-East Asia as the drug agent, Shakh Jumir has caused.

not able to control their young man the beroin king." men and six new plants were So, instead of a traditional soon opened up. Bullets flew in deive past this teeming town

The arrest of the drug king of . According to Mr Jahanzeb dark defiles that the Mujahidin the Khyber 10 days ago cleared Khan, the Commissioner for and drug smugglers use in and the way for the visit of Princess Pershawar. Shaikh Jamir was out of the Soviet-occupied Anne yesterday to the moun-buying opinm in Afghanistan, country, the Princess had to be tainous pass leading to Afgha-processing it in the Khymber content with the bleak grandeur valleys, and shipping it to the of the driver along the pass to She was the first distinguished visitor to be allowed authorities say the 80 per cent Rifles here. She halted at the

the town in search of drug which they will not disclose, to factories.

Not until the Princess's visit use the trick again," said Mr.

safe enough to allow her to drive up here. A visit to a dam and hydro-electric project had been planned as an alternative. Even so, she was not allowed to within less than six miles of the border.

After Mr French Smith's visit, the Pakistan authorities agreed with the elders of the two drives are did it. With Shaikh Jumir behind bars in Peshawar sentenced by a military tribunal to three years in jaul — I favour a public flogging for him, as an example to others, said Mr Khan — the pass exploded into rioting. The tribal elders were warned again that the Pakistan authorities agreed with the elders of the two agreed with the elders of the two would react with the utmost-principal tribal groups in the vigour if the disturbances did pass to clamp down on the drug, not stop, and an uneasy calm

capital of the world.

Twenty-seven drug processing plants were closed down, but the elders of one tribe were the world," he said. "I call this

the valleys over the rivalry that and a visit to a spectacular followed. Shaikh Jumor, aged viewpoint where visitors can look down to the valleys and

Rifles here. She halted at the insignia of British regiments. carved into the hillside, and kept ever freshly painted.

sight of a policeman, draped in bandoliers, and armed to the teeth standing every few hundred yards along the rocky way. To be fan, though, most of the male inhabitants of these parts were also walking around equally draped.

She was treated to a military occasion which might not have

occasion which might not have seemed out of place at Camher-ley. She had lunch in the officers' mess, sat afterwards on the lawn under the shade of a walnut tree for a display of dancing, and then sat formally for a regimental photograph. A pipe band greeted her, playing an immaculate "Scotland Brave", and sped her on her way with "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow".

Her meal consisted of curried lamb, and bread baked on hot stones. She was presented with garlands of flowers and tinsel and the dancing involved much whirling about and waving of



Mitterrand defends Vietnam policy

President Mitterrand of France with the coalition of forces fighting for a Mr Deng Xiaoping, China's elder Vietnamese withdrawal, David Bona-Mr Deng Xiaoping, China's elder statesman (left), during talks in Peking yesterday. Mr Deng greeted reporters with a "Bonjour" and said France could put pressure on Vienam to mithdress from Combodies M to withdraw from Cambodia, M Mitterrand had earlier defended The Princess rejoined the Mitterrand had earlier defended Andover of the Queen's Flight France's relationship with Vietnam and its refusal to grant recognition to

He told a press conference on Wednesday that was anxious that Vietnamese troops should leave Cambodia, and that the country should achieve self-determination and neutrality through free elections. But "the coalition does not exercise enough

domestic product per head of population; and the amount

each country contributes to the net operating surplus of the Community.

Value-added tax: Member

states would have to pay up to 1,4 per cent of their VAT

revenue instead of the present i per cent. This increase would

have to be approved by national parliaments, but future increas-

es of 0.4 per cent could be approved by unanimous ap-proval of the council and a

three-fifths majority of the

pressure on Vietnam, I am afraid of a return to the previous methods." M Mitterrand and Mr Deng had

wide-ranging talks on multilateral and bilateral affairs. M Mitterrand also met Mr Zhao Ziyang, the Prime Minster. The President emphasized France's advanced technology, which could, he said, be put to use in the development of China's economy.

Nakasone defends free trade record

From David Watts Singapore

Mr Yasuhiro Nakasone, the Japanese Prime Minister, yesterday headed off ;any potential criticism of Japan at the forthcoming Williamsburg forthcoming economic summit with a strong presentation of his country's role as a defender of free trade. After his criticisms of protectionism in the West on the

opening day of his visit to Singapore, Mr Nakasone said that no other country in the world had done as much as Japan to open up its domestic maches over the rest two years. markets over the past two years. Tokyo, he said, had made four successive moves to open its domestic market and cited the 50 per cent increase in quotas for imported industrial products under the generalized system of preferences which is the principal gift to Asean which he has brought on his first visit to the South-East Asia region. Japan had promised to

region. Japan had promised to present the views of less developed countries at Williamsburg.

Under the General Agreement of Tariffs and Trade (Gatt), rules Japan's residual import tariffs were now lower than some European countries. than some European countries, especially on agricultural prod-ucts and Japan's low level of import tariffs on industrial goods now led the world.

Mr Nakasone said average tariff levels on imported industrial goods were about five per cent in the EEC, four plus per cent in the United States and about three per cent for Japan.

Things were moving too on the non-tariff barrier front, according to the Prime Minister, who said he had initiated revision of 18 existing laws which would simplify imports

Japanese largesse has been parsimonious by its standard of aid to other Asean countries towards Singapore has the greatest wealth per capita, and more improtantly, the leading economic problem between the two countries is likely to mean further expensive outlay for

The problem is over-support for the big petrochemical complex which is being built in Singapore with Japanese Singapore with Japanese Government loans as a joint venture with Sumitono Chemical. The complex should have been in production a year ago, but the world market for petrochemicals long since collapsed and the Papanese side is in no hurry to start production which can only mean even greater losses when taken on top of the

Chamberlain returns to Darwin jail From Tony Duboudin

Mrs Lindy Chamberlain, convicted of the murder of her baby daughter, Azaria, is likely to wait unto the end of June before she will know whether her plea to seek special leave to appeal to the High Court of Australia has been granted.

She will spend that time in Darwin's Berrimah jail where she was moved on Wednesday from Mulawa jail. She had been held there since last Friday after her appeal against her conviction of the murder of her 10-week-old daughter at Ayers Rock in August, 1980, was unanimously rejected

Mrs Chamberlain was released on bail last November for the birth of her daughter

Britain's contribution to Europe may be cut by 10 per cent

From Ian Murray ary to satisfy British demands
Brussels for a more fairly balanced
Agriculture would receive less budget. Any agreed rebates,
and less from an enlarged however, will have to take into and less from an enlarged budget for the European account the view that Britain Community under plans an received "too much" maney Community under plans announced yesterday by the European Commission

effect of reducing Britain's contribution to the Community by around 10 per cent in the short term.

The Commission believes that the long-term impact of the needed new system would be to develop new policies in non-agricultural areas which would directly benefit Britain.

Once the new system was working there would be no need for rebates to Britain. But until then the Commission believes

back over the past three years.

European Commission.

If adopted in its present form, provide a whole new approach this scheme could have the to the financing of the Commenter of reducing Britain's unity replacing the present contribution to the Community method of raising more and 1970 and The plans are meant to dates back to April 1970, and which is incapable of providing the budget with all the cash now

The liquidity crisis has come about essentially because agricultural spending is so large that there is not enough money left to finance projects which could tackle the most important problems facing the Commthan agricultural nation has suffered worse than any other country from the imbalance and its insistent pressure for a fairer system has forced the pace for

Fresh approach to EEC finances

Although urgently needed if the Community is to avoid going bankrupt, the new project is at best not going to be agreed until the Commission is prepar-ing its draft budget for 1985 in a This is because an essential

element of the project involves raising the present ceiling on value-added tax revenues above the level agreed in 1970. This in turn means that the changes would need ratification by the Parliament of every member state - a long process after a long and difficult negotiation in the Council of Ministers which

Britain as an industrial rather would itself have to agree unanimously a new package. ways of cutting back agricultural spending and raising any extra money needed to fund farm

prices by new mechanisms. This would leave a larger part of the existing budget free for other purposes. To this would be added the extra money from value-added tax revenues. very broad terms this

would mean that the agricultural share of the budget would drop from its present level of around two-thirds of all available money to about a quarter. The main points of the proposals are: Agriculture: Only 33 per cent of the total budget to be used on supporting CAP. Extra CAP money to be raised

European Parliament. ■ Energy: The Commission is working on a big overall energy programme and reserves the right to propose a tax based on

Hu arrives in Romania to patch relations

Bucharest (AP) - Mr Hu Yaobang, the Chinese Communist Party leader, arrived here on an official visit that signalled a Chinese diplomatic offensive in Eastern Europe.

President Ceausescu of Romania greeted his guest with two ceremonial kisses, and a guard of honour shorted "long live the Comrade General-Secretary," as Mr Hu acknowledged the cheers of about 3,000 lag-waving Romanians

Otopeni airport.

The welcome appeared to be much less lavish than the one iven to former Chairman Hua Guofeng, the last Chinese leader to visit Eastern Europe, in 1978. It is the first trip for Mr Hu since he took over as generalsecretary of the party in June,

"non-industrial consumption" during the next few months. nuity - unemployment and industrial decline. debt servicing already required. special measures will be necessaccording to three indicators -"It's got to be coal if you wish to remain "Coal-fired fluidised bed combustion provides a simple and cost saving solution to heavy fuel oil prices." competitive in both national and international markets." Herman Scopes, Director. John Denton, Works Director, The Ketton Portland Cement Co. Ltd. ICI Petrochemicals and Plastics Division. "Coal is uncomplicated, "Coal is an efficient and it is easy to burn." Mike Gray Group Energy Engineer. economic solution to rising energy costs." Dunlop Limited. Jim Bisset, Director, The Whitecroft Group OIL OR COAL? TALKTO THE CONVERTED.

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SPECTRUM

You may think you learnt by rote, but it could have been by 'morphic resonance'. Dr Rupert Sheldrake (right) has set the scientific world in turmoil with his theory that living things 'tune in' to the knowledge of their predecessors

Are we all on the same wavelength?

By Peter Lewis

tomorrow's children be quicker at caused a furore. It postulated a new, so, could it be because they are able to conflicted head-on with the mechanist

predecessors?

The answers to these questions, if What of genetic programming? they could be accurately measured, What of DNA? What of natural might throw light on a radically new selection? Sheldrake believes their

The theory of "formative causation" is advanced be Dr Rupert Sheldrake, where else. whose name has been both celebrated nature which operates on the simplest place for magic in science." cell up to the most complex organism.

which operates across space and time be heard and to be judged by by "morphic resonance" - from the experiment. It pointed out that Greek for form, morphe, and the sort "modern science itself is founded on a of resonance whereby one musical hypothesis that has not been specifiinstrument makes another vibrate. He cally tested: that the materialist believes that developing creatures explanations are all that is required." receive, rather like a radio programme Both journals' correspondence put out by past exemplars of their kind, columns sizzled like heated retorts for a pattern-making transmission which months. The New Scientist offered a makes legs into legs, arms into arms, £250 prize for the best idea for an and which makes frogs behave in a experiment to test whether morphic

Are children quicker at learning to ride of Clare College. Cambridge, and bicycles, or to roller skate, than they holder of a research fellowship of the were at the turn of the century? Will Royal Society; but his hypothesis learning to play video or computer immaterial force of nature that did not games than the present generation? If involve matter or energy and it "tune in" to the skills acquired by their faith that everything can be reduced to

hypothesis which claims to explain importance has been exaggerated. They what shapes the forms and behaviour are like the valves and copper wire connexions of a radio set: the actual programme is transmitted from some-

Denouncing Sheldrake as a heretic and execrated among his fellow-biol- in a passionate and intemperate ogists since he published a book called editorial, the editor of Nature maga-A New Science of Life nearly two years zine was appalled that this "infuriating ago. In it he proposed that the embryos tract" as being hailed as an answer to of living things "tune in" to a field materialistic science. Sheldrake was created by past members of the same not only wrong, he was encouraging species - an undiscovered force in the thought that "there might be a

The New Scientist, on the other He calls it a "morphogenetic field", hand, championed Sheldrake's right to

froggy fashion and dogs in a doggy one. resonance indeed exists. Meanwhile, Sheldrake had respectable scientific the Tarrytown Group, a scientific credentials as a plant biologist, fellow ideas forum in Tarrytown, New York,



offered a prize of \$10,000 for the best those Turkish children. But will the start making up new sentences, using scientist or not.

announced the winning entry in its experiments. competition, a simple and cheap experiment, which could be carried out other laboratories should become language, and therefore a 'deep strucin schools, to test whether learning quicker at learning it. This effect was ture' that all languages had in
something is made easier by the fact discovered by the psychologist, Wilthat many other people – preferably liam McDougall, at Harvard, in the resonance at work. Any child picking

lecturer from Nottingham, Dr Richard means of a gangway. Gentle, argues that according to Sheldrake a nursery rhyme, such as "Twinkle, twinkle, little star", should be very easy to learn because of all the children who have learnt it in the past.

The problem is to find a comparable rhyme to test it against, and enough people who do not know the rhyme already. So he chose a four-line Turkish nursery rhyme, known to generations of Turkish children, and altered the word-sequence to produce a similar looking rhyme, which is in fact gibberish, though only a Turkishspeaker could tell the difference.

The idea is to invite groups of pupils in schools to learn one or other of the rhymes, timing how long it takes them to repeat one of them by heart. Then the average learning time for the genuine rhyme and the fake can be compared, nobody involved knowing which was which.

If the genuine rhyme is learnt more

test that confirms or refutes the result settle the matter? Not on its own, the language creatively. hypothesis by 1985, open to anyone, certainly. It is too wide-ranging a theory to be settled by a nursery rhyme should be impossible on a stimulus-Now the New Scientist has and Sheldrake has devised other response model of learning. It led

how to escape from a tank of water by language

inherited the ability. When the experi- in his thirties by going to Hyderabad to ments were repeated in Australia, with work at the International Crop Reunrelated strains of rats as controls, it search Institute on improving strains

laboratories, to see if they affect one under a banyan tree, on the banks of another's rate of learning as McDou- the river Cauvery in Southern India. gall's rats seem to have done. Other After 18 months' work he brought back experiments are possible with the the first draft to his home in Newark, growing of new crystals, with Nottinghamshire, mutations in fruit-flies and with What made him mutations in fruit-flies and with What made him start on his new learning video games in, say, rural science of life? It was the inability of

quickly, it could have been helped Children pick up the rules of the game, incredibly complex interactions of alter our understanding of how life in along by the pooled memory field of all without text-books of grammar and physics and chemistry between cells, its multifarious forms comes about

"This sort of creative learning Chomsky to postulate an innate If rats learn a new trick, other rats in language ability, no matter what millions of them - have learnt it before 1920s. Successive generations of his up English, or Chinese, is assisted by you.

Sheldrake interrupted a well-estab-This did not prove that they had lished Cambridge career when he was was found that it made no difference and yields. He lived in a rajah's which rats were used, their descend-crumbling palace and his mind was ants all improved their performance. freed to develop his theory. In 1978 he Sheldrake has proposed a new went to an ashram run by a Benedicexperiment with rats in widely separate tine monk and wrote it down, in a hut

India.

If the theory is right, should we not development of the plants he was already well known, to lecture on have noticed its effect by now? working on Cells that become leaves them. In June, he has been asked to go Sheldrake believes we have. He says: and cells that become stalks carry to Washington to address the Con"One of the mysteries of learning exactly the same DNA. The process of gressional Committee on The Future language is that babies do it so fast becoming a plant, a fish, a mammal or about his theory and its implications, compared to adults. This applies also a human being is equally mysterious. And, who knows, somebody may even to an English baby learning Chinese, in The orthodox response is that one day Chinese surroundings, or visa versa. we will be able to explain it in terms of

triggered by a DNA code. This is an act of faith. It is at least as simple, and perhaps more intelligible, to imagine the process being conducted by morphogenetic fields.

The fields account more easily for the amazing capacity of living things to regenerate or repair themselves. you cut off parts of an embryo, it regenerates the missing parts. If you cut a magnet in half you get two complete magnetic fields, not two halves", Sheldrake points out. "In both cases the field maintains its integrity."

A kind of Conservation of Form principle could account for the way the eye of a newt robbed of its lens, will grow a new one out of its own iris, or the way any gardener can raise a whole plant from a small cutting. It could explain how flesh, bones and fingernails make good damage done to them.

"I am not the first person to suggest that morphogenetic fields are needed to explain development," said Shel-drake. "What is new about my interpretation is that the fields derive their structure from the past. What gives a fingernail field a fingernail structure? Plate held that somewhere there was an eternal, archetypal fingernail. I say that the field is caused by actual fingernails of the past, a kind

of pooled memory.
"Changes usually occur because the normal pathway is blocked, perhaps by a genetic defect or by a change in environment. Sometimes this defeats the organism. But in certain rare cases there is a creative jump." This can be seen when animals learn a new behaviour pattern. About 1952 blue tits learned how to open milk bottle tops and the habit spread through the tit population of Europe. Copying hardly seemed an adequate explanation of such a sudden and widespread new habit. Perhaps, after enough tits had learned the trick, a morphic resonance was set up affecting

Sheldrake's hypothesis meets the criterion of a scientific theory - it is verifiable by experiments which could prove its predictions. Sheldrake is eager to have if put to as many tests as possible. But supposing it fails the test or that no confirmatory evidence can be found, what then? "If the balance of evidence is against it, I would have to abandon the theory," he says. "The possibility would remain that morphogenetic fields exist, though not created by past examples. They could be timeless, changeless principles, rather like Plato's archetypes. Or perhaps the mechanistic theory will ultimately explain everything without them."

His ideas have certainly caused a lot of excitement and attention: this week now be conducting the make-or-break experiment that may fundamentally

One of New York's famous landmarks is 100 years old this month

The bridge so far . . .

Even when it was new, the bridge assumed a mythic stature. An architectural critic, Montgomery Schuyler, wel-comed it in 1883 with these and he turned to making iron the first in the firs words: "It so happens that the work which is likely to be our most durable monument, and the most remote posterity, is not a work of bare utility; not a most spectacularly across the shrine, not a fortress, not a Niagara Falls but also in palace..."

Niagara Falls but also in Pittsburg and Cincinnati.

New Yorkers are preparing to celebrate the anniversary, but one trusts that the festivities will not be as hectic as those of the opening week, when such a massive holiday crowd surged on to the bridge that 12 people were trampled to death. Yet that was rather characteristic. From the beginning sufficient tragedy attended the construc-tion of the bridge to make it a truly heroic enterprise, and one that was immediately perceived as an expression of something in the American spirit.

Its progenitor, John A. Colonel Washington A. Roe-Roebling, a German-born en-bling, who had played a notable

One of the longest journeys in the world, Norman Podhoretz wrote, finding a particularly apt metaphor for the American Dream, is the journey from Brooklyn to Manhattan. The concrete symbol of that American aspiration is the Brooklyn bridge, which celebrates its 100th birthday this month.

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Even when it was new, the single symbol of the celebrates in the symbol of all things, breed canaries.

gincer, was killed by it. Roebl-part at Gettysburg, took over, and the bridge left him a determined characters that the promanent invalid. The problem was the technique used to built many died from the bends – their legs, according to one contemporary account of the fast River.

To sink the foundations, plained hair. Because of the great bottomless wooden boxes called caissons – each half the was stopped before bedrock was stopped b

called caissons - each half the was stopped before bedrock was size of a city block - were reached, so that the tower rests constructed submerged by means of stones piled on the top, and pumped full of compressed air, which kept them watertight. Gangs of unskilled immigrant labourers, on the whole pleased to find jobs that paid more than the rope - the first in the United States. It was used in the cable railways that crossed the mountains of the state. Soon he was building suspension bridges,

But some workers developed cramps and headaches and were. seen to walk with a stoop, thereafter referred to as the "Grecian Bend" (the name of a passionate but unionized benefin hydropathy – the curing of illnesses by bathing. When, down by the Brooklyn waterfront prospecting the site for one of the bridge towers, his foot was crushed by a docking boat, his response was to plunge it instantly into a tiph of cold ballroom dance). This malady was, of course, the bends, still known medically as caisson disease. After a long spell in one of the caissons when fire broke out in 1871, Washington Roe-bling collapsed bling collapsed. Attacks recurred and he was

forced to withdraw from the work altogether, lying in agony in a darkened room, although he finally recovered sufficiently to direct work from his house in

on packed sand. Some men fell from the towers or were killed when a suspension wire snapped and lashed back. The bridge, 14 years in building, was subject to the graft

and corruption inherent in most on the whole pleased to find great American public works of average, entered by means of the time. The notorious Taminary Hall politician, "Boss" Tweed, managed to gain control of the bridge company and appreciate the control of th award contracts, until he was

All Roebling's vigilance was necessary to prevent J. Lloyd Haigh, the cable contractor, from forging certificates or switching loads and sending to the bridge steel that the inspectors had failed.

Yet almost at once the bridge captured the public imagin-ation. Even before it was begun, a Congressman called Barnes declared Babylon had her hanging gardens, Nineveh her towers, and Rome her Coliseum; let us have this great tural writer for Country Life.

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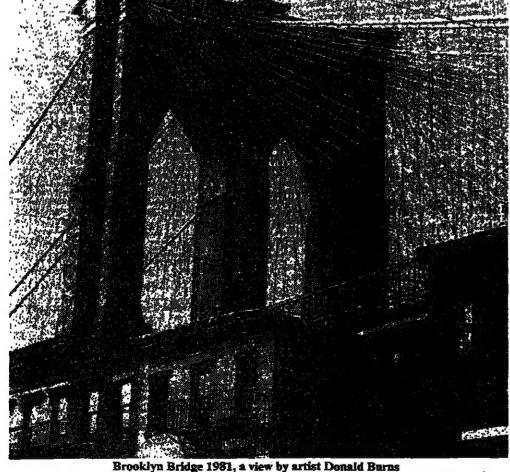
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monument to progress." When built, the towers - arched like the aisles of a Gothic cathedral - were among the city's tallest structures, head, shoulders and torso above the tenements of Brooklyn. To Harper's Weekly, they were more wonderful than the

Needless to say, as soon as the bridge opened to the public there were those who either fell or deliberately threw thomselves off it. A self-publicist swimming instructor called R. E. Odlum jumped to his death in 1885. Steve Brodie claimed to have leapt (he probably did not) and made a fortune out of reenacting the scene in a play called *On the Bowery*. The youth slipping from the catwalk in the film Saurday Night Fever is only the latest in a tradition.

In recent years, real-life tragedies have also occurred. In 1981, a pedestrian was killed when a stay parted and whipped downwards. But the engineers are confident that the bridge, built with human sacrifice and occasionally still exacting its toll, will survive another century yet.

Clive Aslet The author is senior architec-



Play it again, Johannes

The notion that classical music is a stuffy kind of severe knock this the Radio Times when Brahms was out for a informed its four walk trying to dream up. million readers that Brahms,

when young, had carned a living playing the piano in brothels in Hamburg. This came as a shock both to the pop fraternity, who thought that only the Beales ever got started only the Beales ever got started the workers in the fields were singing alluring and dangerously exciting rhythms as they turned the cotton into drip-dry in Hamburg, and to jazz fans, who were under the impression that only Jelly Roll Morton got

Morton, who had a diamond set in his teeth, played champion pool, pimped, claimed to have invented jazz and had a long-running rivalry with Duke Ellington, was actually a pale character when set beside Brahms. It is often forgotten' that Brahms, too, claimed to have discovered jazz, though this was due to a misunderstanding for which he was not

It happened in the cotton fields near Budapest one day, when Brahms was out for a MOREOVER... Miles Kington

another trick to play on Wagner turned the cotton into drip-dry tunics for the Imperial Court. Brahms's fingers snapped and his eyes sparkled.

"Hey, what do you call that kind of music?" he asked one of

the singers. "What do we call dat music?" said the man thus addressed, played by the young Louis Armstrong "Why, we calls dat music jazz!"

would fall for it. He was right | Brahms liked to be in tip-top

Hastily establishing that the physical shape, mostly because folk tunes were not in copyright, he was waiting for the promised Brahms turned them into concert display pieces and played them in brothels all over the world. At the end of the programme he would slam the keyboard lid shut, jump up and shout: "And that's jazz!"

call it Hungarian Dances, but coffee break." Once the threatened fight did actually take the cotton fields, they done stole our music again.

The last thin the coffee break." Once the threatened fight did actually take place, but unbeknownst to Brahms, Wagner had hired our music again. Brahms was always secretly disappointed that the stuffed

12-round contest against Wagner that the latter seemed afraid to turn up for. "I'll get that Hun, By the end of round one," Brahms used to taunt shout: "And that's jazz!"

As nobody knew what he was talking about, they preferred to friends. "and I'll eat him for call it Hunarity preferred to Bruno Walter, the Bavarian Mauler, to take his place. invention on his part, as they actually called it Hungarian folk music, but he reckoned that the young man with the mane of white hair and huge grey beard for dancing, you know."

Mauler, to take his place. Brahms only found out the truth after 12 gruelling rounds which the judges scored six to Brahms and six to his opponent, with Brahms winning the encore on points.

"Just typical of Wagner," growled Brahms afterwards, "to send in a dep for a big gig." He later got his own back when he thrashed Wagner at snooker in the big Bayreuth Finals, 16 frames to three, and went on to meet the Russian champion, Tchaikovsky, whom he always considered rather too effete to

The reverse side of his scientific rationalism was a

passionate but unfounded belief

it instantly into a tub of cold

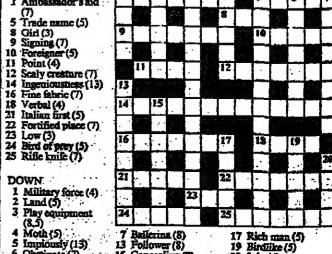
water. Tetanus set in and he died in horrible suffering three

be a really good snooker player. Brahms was a larger-than-life character who had diamonds set in all the white keys of his travelling piano. Before he the 88 ivories and leaping into breezed into a new town, the place would be plastered with critic he spotted writing someposters saying. Brahms is coming! All pianists are restill talk about the time he beat quested to leave town for their up three reviewers and issued own safety." And then the great four proposals of marriage man himself would arrive, in a during a performance of his first white suit, surrounded by piano concerto, without missing bodyguards and attended personally by the Abbê Liszt. The first thing he would ask on ebrations. Let's go out tonight arrival was the address of the

best brothel in town, and there he would sit for hours, strumming at the piano those old tunes he had learned back on the Danube levees and maybe accompanied by the singing of the madame (played by the young Billie Holiday). Then he would proceed to the concert hall and, in his own words, knock 'em in the aisles.
At the end of his life, when he

was fat and heavy, he opened a bar in Vienna and became a bit of a nostalgic bore. I prefer to think of the Johannes Brahms rakish straw hat and the slim cheroot, thrashing hell out of the 88 ivories and leaping into

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FRIDAY PAGE

A man about the house

being lone breadwinner, the working wife is prey to a set of traditional assumptions about the division of labour. She is the victim of a social system geared to male authority which effectively denies her very existence. The most obvious example of this is in relation to Family Income Supplement. A married woman cannot claim F.I.S. because, ostensibly, she is not the head of the household. Similarly, the jobless husband whose wife is supporting him is not eligible for supplementary

According to the Low Pay Unit, up to 270,000 women are affected in this way. A spokeswoman said that usually a woman's wage was not enough to maintain a family, and yet the woman herself was barred from For most women breadwinners, therefore, it made more sense to become unemployed and fall back on supplementary benefit.

In November, thanks to an EEC directive, the F.I.S. ruling will be changed so that, for social security benefit purposes, the breadwinner's sex is immaterial.

The Low Pay Unit, while welcoming this, will continue to press for overall improvements in women's earnings. "For a long time now we've argued for a minimum wage as being of major value to women workers" said the spokeswoman. A recent Study Commission on the Family, explodes the idea of the typical worker as the married man with a wife at home. Married women, it says, now represent a quarter of the

It states that more than two million children live in families with incomes around the poverty line. It also reveals that without women's earnings, four times as many families would be in poverty. As one woman lecturer/breadwinner said: With unemployment as high as it is, who is and who is not the breadwinner is often a matter of

Swopping domestic roles seems to do more for sexual. equality than the nagging of liberationists. Veronica Groocock talks to three couples who switched roles as a result of necessity after the husbands became redundant

community relations officer, was made redundant in October. Sue is a welfare rights worker, a job she was offered only weeks before the news of John's redundancy. Previously never actually respectively a local work, the lunch-he women's aid group, and before that out for yourself."

was a full-time housewife.
Sue John has always been the sort of husband who did quite a lot at home. He took over a lot of the child care and housework. The problem for me is that my job is 25 miles away and I don't get paid as much as he did just over £6,000 a year, compared with John's previous

salary of £9,500].

Financial worries aside, Sue is enjoying the swop. It sometimes worry about what would happen if I lost my job. Every breadwinner does, I suppose, But I do get quite a kick out of being the one who brings home the money, and it's nice coming home to a cooked meal. We both felt that swopping jobs for a while would be good for us both. I am sure John is a lot more aware of what goes into running a bouse. Each of us appreciates the other one more than we did before.

"I don't always agree with the way he does things, like shopping or cooking. He bakes bread and feels very protective about it, and if I go out and buy a loaf he resents it."

Although John pays the bills, the Tanners have always pooled their finances and have a joint bank account. The drop in salary has

bome as a place of relaxation. "When you are at home with the children, there are always a hundred things you should be doing. You never: actually relax. Out at work the lunch-hour is yours - time

John: "It's an opportunity to do things that one has always wanted At 37 I have learned how to make pastry and bread, and I am keeping chickens. It's quite fun, as long as it doesn't go on too long." With a 30 per cent unemployment rate in Scunthorpe, the remark John regu-larly hears is "Lovely weather. Are you working?" He finds the isolation

the hardest part.

"Your wife comes home from work and says: 'Had an interesting day?' You say: 'I cleaned the upstairs lavatory', and suddenly have horize you've become! realize how boring you've become!

"At work you do have a lot of power and it's easier to feel you've done something. Even if you've sat there chewing your nails you've been to work and this is your justification for the day", said John. On the plus side, John sees more of their sons ("I have it easy because they are growing up now. It's not an onerous responsibility"), and has more control of the money, if less of

John admits to a very strong need to be in work. I say it doesn't matter, but deep down it does. . . .

John and Sas Tamer are in their meant a drop in their standard of Tm a housewife and I don't really late thirties and live in Scunthorpe. living, with the "inevitable friction" like it. The longer I go on the more their home and have two if John wants to go to the pub.

They own their home and have two if John wants to go to the pub.

Sue finds that being the breadgiven Sue more status. I don't really like it. The longer I go on the more desperate I shall become. But it has given Sue more status. I don't really shall be wanted to be a housewife at she ever wanted to be a housewife at home with children. She is very happy at work and finds it stimulating and rewarding."

Jane and Peter Smith (not their real names) are in their fifties and live in a council house in Poole. They have three children, two still at home: a daughter, and a 22-year-old son who claims supplementary benefit. In June 1982 Peter, an electrical sales assistant, was made redundant after 27 years' service. Jane works for a firm of insurance brokers and ber weekly take-home pay is £51. Peter was earning £4,000 a year plus

Jane: "It was a crashing blow at Peter's time of life, because we thought we had gone through the worst years and were looking forward to an easier ride. All of a sudden we seemed to be back at square one." She gets angry, particularly at the bureaucratic anomalies, such as the provision of family income supplement, that militate against the married woman

Things are unlikely to improve, she feels, until Peter finds another job. "I have always been on the side of the underdog, never dreaming that one day it would be me in that category." She worries constantly category." She worries constantly about the future. "There is this terrible uncertainty. I just don't know how it will end."

Peter: "Work was becoming an Housewives are not valued very ordeal I was being pressurized, and highly in society, and at the moment redundancy was suggested. I was

John and Sue

housewife now



Sue and Richard Ambrose: reassessment of less rigid roles

heading for a nervous breakdown. I thought if I don't get out of here soon I will crack up." His initial reaction was sheer relief. "We managed to get a holiday in Crete, with part of my [£3,000] redundancy money." Hopes of setting up his own business were dashed and he suffers from anxiety and depression and sometimes takes tranquillizers.

I go to bed with a headache, and wake up with one. The tension affects my eyes. I have terrible eye strain. I sometimes think 'What is the point of going on? I only have a few pounds left in the bank. We are penniless. I've never been in this situation in my life." The biggest problem is coping with the de-pression. You try to think of ways of getting out of this rut, but you keep coming across barriers. It's like

He feels degraded. The strain of it all has affected his relationship with Jane. "She has been very concerned and a great help, but there is tension between us. Things are not as they once were. She looks very miserable and white at times. I try to keep a stiff upper lip. I say 'Cheer up. Things are bound to get better'. She says she can't see how they will."

Richard and Sne Ambrose are in their late twenties and live in a council house in Rainham, in the Medway area of Kent. They have one son, Tarot, aged 2½, and Lisa, aged 12, and Maria, aged 10, two daughters from Sue's previous marriage, as well as two Afghans, a hamster and a tortoise. Richard is a

qualified electrician, though recently he worked in a factory. He has been unemployed since January 1982. Sue is a residential social worker looking after young people in care at a local community home. Her weekly take-home pay is £65, which includes overtime and sleeping-in allowances. (She is also a qualified teacher and youth worker.)

Richard: "I can't see me getting a job anywhere, so this was the next best thing, because she's got opportunities, you see, so why waste them? I'm a male version of my mother (she's a part-time cleaner in a dockyard). My mother was very houseproud. She was always clean-ing it was one of her fortes. In the same way, I'm inclined to get too involved with it. We have our little ups and downs in this. I'll say: 'get out of the way, I want to clean there'. I suppose a lot of people must think Γm a bit weird."

Sue: "Even close friends who've known us for years - especially the men – tend to have digs at me.

'You've got him well-trained,
baven't you?' Or, 'What's Rich
doing baby-sitting again?' At first it
was quite amusing but after a while
it neers off' it wears off

Richard is garrulous and good-humoured in faded denims, his long hair tied back hippy-style. Does he mind having to ask Sue for money? Well, she never seemed to mind when she asked me for it!"

Like John Tanner, Richard has

Sue chips in: "It's not my money: it's ours. I mean, if it's there we

omorrow

START THE WEEKEND WITH THE PAPER THAT INFORMS, STIMULATES, AMUSES AND PROVOKES

experienced the "lonely housewife" syndrome. "Half-past six I used to go to work. I'd see people on the bus. You just nodded to them. Occasionally you might pass words about the weather, but that was it. But they were still people. You absorbed something from them, whereas here, dogs apart, there's only Tarot, and trying to have an in-depth conversation with him is impossible!

The couple cannot afford to go out more than once or twice a month. "The longer I stay in the harder I find it to go out". says Richard. "I get very used to the environment I've created, so I'm inclined to stay with it. It's as though this building has stopped and time out there can do what the bell it

Sue has always hated housework whereas Richard, when he first took on the role on house-husband, was almost obsessed with tidiness. He still is, to a degree, and feels fiercely protective about his role. "It's mine. she starts doing it, I think I'm out

Sue's illness with a kidney complaint last summer enabled them to reassess their roles, which understand why a lot of marriages fail, 'cos they are two such separate people, poles apart, and the friction that causes. I don't consider myself totally male. I mean, the males that I would call *males* wouldn't know how to cook anything or even how to plug a vacuum cleaner in. They know how to take cars apart and about the price of drinks, but I was never that way inclined anyway."



It might be assumed that the influence of The Worshipful Company of Cutlers of London would have waned once the knife makers went north and abandoned Fleet Street to the journalists; but the ancient

The modern Cutlers now take cases where white middle-class an interest in Surgical instruments making. This month they sylvanian origin, have had this presented their annual award to crawing, satisfied only by taking presented their annual award to crawing, satisfied only by taking blood from animals when still Cancer of the pancreas is the fifth most common cause of special endoscore an illumic abattoirs, or by sucking blood ivery companies are adaptable.

The story of endoscopes and wrists to drink their own started in the last century when blood. Dr Kussman was inspired by watching a sword swallower. He cases, who have attended Cape reasoned that if the man could Town University's psychiatric

the surgeon's gaze. But the it is known that he murdered discovery in 1928 by John Logie nine people, cut their throats Baird of a method of transmit. Baird of a method of transmitting light along a flexible glass- from each. fibre bundle allowed the production of a whole range of with death and the dead. Even
as small children they have an Mr Sterry Ashby has been

working with the manufacturers on his particular endoscope, known as a choledocoscope, since 1974. If it had been invented 20 years earlier history might have been changed. Sir Anthony Eden's common bile duct was cut in a fruitless search for a stone. With this instrument direct vision of the inside of the duct could have been obtained and the means of retrieval of the stone, without causing near fatal damage, made possible.

Dracula syndrome



which suggests that a possible murder motive overlooked in the past is a bicarre desire to drink

MEDICAL BRIEFING

The light of life

death from cancer in Britain.

patient see his doctor. By then it is too late; the average survival

time is seven months and only 1

The incidence of the disease is increasing, and seems to bear

relationship to to a sophisti-cated lifestyle. Various statistics published in America have

suggested a relationship to coffee drinking but direct evidence is lacking.

disease

Journal reports two near faial cases in beer

Cardiac, or wet, beri-beri, is caused by thiamine, Vitamin B.

deficiency. Perhaps because it is

than whisky drinkers these are

the first cases to be reported in

Scotland. In alcoholics the

disease is due to poor utilization

secondary to liver disease,

impaired absorption and in-

signs and symptoms of severe cardiac failure, in conjunction

with damage to the nervous

enlarged, lungs waterlogged, legs

swollen, muscles weak, their minds confused and their

They were treated with all the

reflexes were almost absent.

Their hearts were

Both the Scots patients had

creased requirement.

Changi Jail than

the local, yet the Scottish Medical

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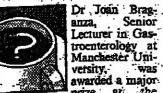
In a review of these and other reasoned that if the man could to made to swallow a tube it department, they report that would be possible to look at the inside of his stomach.

Later electric torchlight in a ing their own blood, men are rigid tube exposed the inside of tempted to take other people's. some organs – gullet, stomach, they cite Haigh, the acid bath bronchial tubes and colon – to make the property of the story of the story.

obsessive desire to visit cem-cteries in a search for bodies and bones, and keep dead animals in their bearooms....

The report suggests that this yearning may lead to repeated assaults or unexplained murder and should be considered in assessing the record of violent criminals who show evidence of

Coffee or claret?



yndrome

Two psychiatrists in: Cape Town have written a paper for the South African Medical Journal which suggests indeed in paper read by the which suggests indeed in the paper read by the which suggests indeed in the paper read by the indeed in the pap judges is only an appetizer for

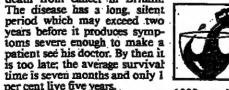
more startling work.

Dr. Braganza was reticent about her unpublished paper, but said that recent studies. Dr R. E. Hemphill and Dr T. while not pinpointing the cause Zabow report in detail on three of one of nature's most horrid. for 10 years he had been

drinking eight to 10 pints of beer a day. His heart failure respond-ed to thiamine within a fortnight and he regained his strength in

Six monus.

The second patient admitted was luckier, his daily consumption of up to eight pints a day was immediately noted, his thiamine reserves estimated, found too be low, and treated. He made a quick recovery. Cancer of the pancreas is the fifth most common cause of Anti-Chianti

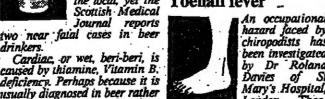


According to Ma Geoffrey Gib-bon, a London wine merchant, Californian wine sales more than doubled in Bri-

1980 and 1981. It seems suitable that it should be two Californians, Dr David Glaser and George Tarnowsky, who may have found a way, reported in Medical News, of avoiding the headache from which many people suffer after even small quantities of red wine. The doctors suggest that the

headache is due to a histamine-induced effect of red wine and niore can be avoided if the person often associated takes a tablet of Tagamet with wartime (cimetidine) before they drink,

Toenail fever



chiropodists has been investigated by Dr Roland Davies of S Mary's Hospital London, Therapy Weekly reports.

The hazard is toenail dust, blown into the air by trimming

drills. It causes an allergio

reaction similar to hay fever

with sore eyes and runny noses. Evidence suggests that some of the dust containing spores of the fungi, trichophyton rubrum, responsible for athlete's foot, may be inheled. Although 17 per cost of chirocodists have a selection. cent of chiropodists have antibodies to this fungus in their blood, no case of hing disease has yet been diagnosed; in

theory chiropodists could suffer

from "farmer's hing", a pnew monitis caused by inhaling the standard measures for heart failure, but it was only when the first patient became moribund that the doctors discovered that spores from mouldy hay. Dr Thomas Stuttaford Medical Correspondent



of The Times/Veuve Cliquot Short Crime Story Competition



Keith Macklin on the Rugby League Cup Final Enoch Powell



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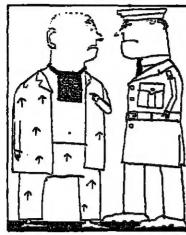
THE TIMES DIARY

Save it

Arthur Rosebud invents gadgets that "consume energy as if there were no tomorrow" the National Consumer Council says. His automatic dogwalker, anti-insomnia machine and super-heated swimming pool incur the displeasure of the Department of Energy, and he is persuaded to turn his garden into a testing ground for water wheels and windmills instead.

Arthur Rosebud's Revelation is a play commissioned by the Department of Energy to tour schools putting across the message about energy conservation and alternative sources. Meanwhile the Department has cut its budget for research in such matters by more than a fifth this year. "We have simply concentrated our resources", an energetic official explains.

BARRY FANTONI



Unsuitable

Surprise at the record price (£1.925,000) paid for the Henri II suit of armour in Sotheby's Hever sale yesterday is beightened by the fact that Henri was hardly a good advertisement for armour. He was killed in a joust with Captain Montgomery of his Scots Guards when a sliver of lance penetrated first his visor and then his brain.

 I salute the careful husbandry a W. H. Smith's London Bridge branch which yesterday, when the 1983 Proms were announced, was still offering for sale the 1982

Keeping mum

What have Rhodes Boyson and Laurie Pavitt. Conservative and Labour MPs for Brent North and South respectively, in common? Not much, but their names were both big in the Co-op, a discovery I owe to the research Jean Gaffin and David Thoms put into their centenary history of the Co-operative Women's Guild, Caring and Sharing, published this week. Pavitt's mother was national president in 1934, and he worked for the Co-op youth movement before becoming a Labour and Co-op MP. Less predictably, Mother Boyson was president of the Haslingden branch for a long period, and Rhodes himself was six years a director of the local Co-op. I never knew that before", says Gaffin, "and he's my

Astute students

Alex Hambro, son of the chairman of Hambro's Bank; James Ogilvy, son of Angus Ogilvy and Princess Alexandra; and Rupert Goodman, son of an Eton housemaster, are, as Cambridge undergraduates, sup-plementing their government grants by running a glossy London giveaway magazine called *Freeway*. Now in its third issue, the magazine is crammed with expensive (£400-£700) ads for manor houses, huxury cars, decanters of cognac at £90, and the like. The business section has articles by a director of Hambro's, and by Sir Nicholas Goodison, chairman of the Stock Exchange The young entrepreneurs claim the magazine goes free to 5,000 AB

Oops-a-Daisy

Will the drama critic of The Guardian report to the head's study after school? His review of the ripping school yarn, Daisy Pulls it Off, is quoted in the West End:

... a wealth of accurate detail. The play, set in the 1920s, opens with a rousing rendition of "There'll always be an England". The song was written in 1939.

Word to the wise

I live with the inhibiting notion that Times readers know everything already. So here is a challenge. In connextion with next week's publication of the new Chambers Dictionary a competition has been organized with a copy as the prize. It is identify the word which means the carousing of seamen of icebound ships". Tell me the answer quickly enough, and I'll give you the



Driving is a dodgy business in southwest England, the World Conference on Transport Research beard in Hamburg last week.

One out of every 16 crossroads in the region points in the wrong direction. The discovery was made by Department of Transport engineers testing a computer program to check for inconsistencies and errors in the national signpost network. In the eight south-western counties places were so often left off, posted for no good reason or mentioned only intermittently that an average of seven changes would be needed at every road intersection to achieve

Ken Livingstone's pantomime cow

While most of England and Wales has cast its attempt to enliven a dull debate about the GLC's "Peace Year" vote. Londoners must wait until 1985 before passing proposals, the front bench Labour judgment on the Labour-controlled GLC. spokesman wound up with a rousing speech. "I'm not a pacifist" (he said Anne Sofer, a Social Democrat councillor, passionately) "I'm ready to fight But when we go to war, it won't be assesses its first two yearsagainst the Russians. Oh, no." (And he pointed dramatically at the Tories on the front beach opposite)

But the council also has dis-It will be against you fascists over cretionary powers, and it is these that it is now exercising to try and This is the sort of thing the council loves. Since most of the get a tochold in practically every area of London life; health, training, business has been predigested in the committees and before that in the the police community arts, trade union activity, child care, energy policy - the new committees and Labour group, council meetings are regarded less as policy-making panels and working parties prolifer-ate. And each has its own budget occasions than as oratorical jousts. This particular clash of arms was greeted with cheers and jeers, shouts of admiration and roars of outrage. The speaker turned to accept the congratulation of his colleagues and the Conservatives rose to shake their

fists. Another high point to remem-

Its proceedings are so strongly influenced by the consciousness of

the river that it often seems to be

council chamber are on matters over

which the GLC has no control at all:

defence policy, Northern Ireland, monetarism, the Falklands...

But in the two long years of the present administration the charade

has been transformed from a genteel

parlour game to a full-blown, commercial West End pantomime,

costing £2m this year on promotion and advertising alone. To some the

Labour leadership is a fairy god-mother, to others the demon king.

To me it is Daisy the pantomime cow, a creature pretending to be what it is not, poking its face into

things which are not its concern, and

thereby successfully stealing the show from the straight actors who

are trying to hold the plot together.

But behind the spotlights and the tinsel is the uncomfortable truth that

the GLC has never found its proper

purpose since it was set up by a Conservative government in 1964 as

part of a two-tier structure in which

it was to be the "strategic" authority

over the London boroughs. Nobody

has ever known what strategic meant. Apart from public transport

- and even here it is boxed in on all

sides - the GLC's statutory functions have all but disappeared.

ber in the bar afterwards,

The cornucopia of grants, com-bined with the high profile of the present administration, has created an atmosphere at County Hall that is a cross between a students' union and a campaign headquarters. Labour leaders talk euphorically about having "opened up the corridors of power to the community". The crowds, thronging those pompous oak-prefied marble-The element of charade has always been strong at County Hall. pompous, oak-panelled, marble-columned halls are indeed younger, more multi-racial and more selfthat other seat of government across performing a dress rehearsal, or parody, of a production going on elsewhere. Most debates in the assertive than ever before.

But whether the majority of these visitors are representative of the "community" in a political sense is more open to doubt. A selection of those groups meeting in County Hall over a couple of weekends this spring gives the flavour. Women's Media Action Group, AEUW Broad Left, Lawyers for Nuclear Disarmas. ment, Black Trade Unionist Solidarity Movement, Labour Steering Committee against the Witch

With the new political style comes a new language - studiously non-sexist and based on a political ideology that comes jumping out at the most unexpected moments. A recent proposal to find a cooperati-vely run laundrette was justified on the ground that it represented the socialization of washing as a form of domestic production"

of domestic production".

It helps to know the language if you want a grant. The GLC's open-handedness has provoked a deluge of applications, and an extra £1.25m is being spent this year simply on staff to process them. Your chances of getting some money are enhanced you use words like "campaign" or "protest" or "mobilizing the community". "Struggle" may hit the jackpot. And although grants are not supposed to be given to groups

promoting a political party, a generous use of the word "socialist" is recommended - and permitted on the grounds that the Labour Party is not a true socialist party!

"I take pictures of strikes, demos, pickets, etc." hopefully wrote a photographer applying for a grant from the Arts and Recreation Committee. (She got it). Centres for the ways have been told they the unemployed have been told they will not get grants unless they turn their attention from providing advice and recreation to "campaigning". The Police Committee agreed ast week to fund three organizers to coordinate popular expression of views" against the Police Bill. Indeed hostility against the police leads to the strongest language of all. If the struggle against them led to the manufacture of petrol bombs, declared one enthusiast at a GLCsponsored conference, "then so be t". The chairman of the GLC Police Committee, sitting on the platform, joined the applause.

Every document we receive now has to include a paragraph describ-ing what the implications are for women. For the officers who have responsibilities for drafting papers on bus lanes, waste stations, Thames piers and listed buildings this is clearly a challenging intellectual exercise. The regular report on canal walks always concludes with the reassuring assertion that the proposals have resulted from consul-tations with "multi racial/sexual community groups". Sometimes a gallant effort boomerangs. The comment in a proposed grant to a rugby club that Rugby is of course primarily a male sport, but women are always a welcome addition to the rugby scene ... was not well received by the committee.

As part of the fight against male attitudes to the "oppressed gender class", sexual harassment has now been made a disciplinary offence under the GLC staff code. Defined as (inter alia) "unreciprocated leering", it is taken very seriously. When I attempted some feeble witticism against the idea I was repreached for my unsisterly atti-tude: "Surely, Anne, as a woman

you've suffered . . . " I found this unanswerable, on several counts.

That Ken Livingstone himself sees it this way is clear. Before the May 1981 Labour victory he was writing in London Labour Briefing, the self-styled "organ of communication for the left of the Labour Program of the Labour Progr Party in London", that the aim of winning would be to "use the council machinery as part of a political campaign both against the government and in defence of socialist policies". He has always insisted on the need to appoint officers "commined to our policies".

London Labour Briefing ran the hanner headline after the election. London is Ours, and since then politicians and media alike have conspired to give the impression that Ken Livingstone is "running London": is "London's political

It is of course a false impression Most of the services that affect the daily life of London's citizens housing, policing, education and training, social services, health, road sweeping and rubbish collection, libraries libraries - are run by other authorities, and not by the GLC at all Maybe the mayoral structure is a more appropriate one for big city government than our present three-tier muddle, but it is not what we

So what will happen to the GLC? However wide the disagreements about what to do with it (and the argument seems to rage within all the political parties as well as between them) one-thing is obvious: it should either be given clearer statutory functions or abolished. Its present powerlessness makes it an expensive luxury for London.

It seems however to have survived the threat of immediate government action. The Tory Group at County Hall, under a new leader, are talking openly already about the campaign to win in 1985.

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Heading for a fall

The Tories fulminate against Marxism and make sinister com-parisons with Eastern Europe, the one-party state, etc. One can see their political point, but as far as the approach and the style go they are looking in completely the wrong direction. There are far more parallels with the American mayoral system, whereby one person, backed by a party machine, wins control of a city, and can then use its resources for his or her own propaganda and patronage for the next four years.

howling bore and the Prime Minister has made a mistake in allowing some of the boredom to rub off on herself. There is however one small sidestream in this torrent of speculation that remains gentinely intriguing and that concerns the Williamsburg Summit meeting. As all the world now knows, this international circus runs in Virginia from May 28 to 30 and it is certain that Mrs Thatcher has been advised that she will receive a big electoral boost from being seen striding (or as hostile commentators prefer to put it "strutting") the world stage there on equal terms with Ronald, Francois, Heimut and the others. The conventional wisdom appears to have absorbed this notion without boss", "Chief" and "Supremo". the slightest difficulty and yet the

underlying assumptions seem well worth examining. The first is that being "Prime Ministerial pure you decisively ahead of your main opponents in an election beauty contest. The idea is that Michael Foot and David Steel. who have never been to a summit (though Roy Jenkins, as President of the European Commission, has) will be exposed as mere politicians – and untried politicians at that - whose electoral twittering is a temporary distraction from the work of real statesmen like the Prime Minister.

All Mrs Thatcher asks is to be allowed to get back to the inspiring work of saving the world. It is a pretty conceit, but life, unfortunately, is not as simple as that Once the election begins, experience shows that the Prime Ministerial patina is lost almost immediately in the rough and

tumble of day-to-day campaigning -so much so indeed that far from a campaign appearing to the great British public to be a sordid interlude in the midst of a world crisis, the world crisis will probably be seen in these islands as a tiresome irrelevance to what is going on at the

> What about the second assump tion, though - it is a great thing to be seen at the international top table. This, of course, is a notion that no This, of course, is a notion that no British politician bothered about until 25 years ago. Distaeli, Lloyd George, Churchill or even Attlee knew exactly where they would be sitting it was only with Macmillan, Home and Wilson that the doubt about our international status began to creep in and a national obsession on the subject took over. Now that it on the subject took over. Now that it has done so, there is no doubt that not being at the summit would involve severe loss of face to Mrs Thatcher as well as hurt national pride, and to this extent

hustings. It already is, for that

conventional wisdom is right. The Prime Minister has got to go to Williamsburg, But the positive additional bonus that will accrue from being seen there will depend less on the existence of the summit club and Mrs Thatcher's membership of it than on what people think of the other members. At present the leaders of the West look a pretty lacklustre bunch. It is one thing to hobnob with Stalin and Roosevelt (let us forget about Chiang Kai-shek for a moment or even Eisenhower,

Having mercifully been pre quite another to be fined up for a occupied with other subjects, I must group photograph alongside Herr group photograph alongside Herr Koki and Mr Nakasone. be the only commentator in the land

David Watt

at the summit?

who has not written in the last three

weeks about the date of the election.

I do not propose to start now. I have not changed the view I expressed

here several months ago that Mrs. Thatcher would be wise to go in

June but being the person she is, she may still decide to soldier on.

Meanwhile the subject has become a

This brings us to the third and most important assumption that people are making about the public relations of the summit what matters is that the meeting should take place not what happens at it. This, which one might call the "Field of Cloth of Gold" syndrome. proceeds from the idea that all summits are primarily international theatre. Nothing, is is said, can be seriously achieved between the principals in two days of polite, desultory chat. If there is agreement at all it will have been reached at official level beforehand and will require only to be given a histrionic stamp of approval at the summit

There is some truth in this. The western economic summits have had a symbolic value since their inception in 1975, signifying the determination of western governments to maintain and control a stable and reasonably open interstable and reasonably open international economic system in spite of the recession and in spite of all shocks. Where they have succeeded in doing something dramatic as, for instance, in the case of the Bonn Summit in 1978 (which sealed the bargain whereby President Carter products of the American watership to decounted the American undertook to decontrol the American oil market in return for German reflation) most of the spadework has usually been done already. But there is more to it than that.

For one thing the reality of the summit dialogue - though less than it could be if the meetings were differently arranged - is still valuable. Attitudes and sometimes even decisions can be changed. But that is another, long story. What matters in the context of public politics is that there is a difference between good and bad theatre. between tragedy, comedy, farce, and Grand Guignol. And it is by no means clear that all are equally popular with the groundlings. The last summit, at Versailles, for example, was a tragi-comedy in which President Reagan and President Mitterrand talked with great animation and, it turned out subsequently, with total lack of communication. The immediate effect was not particularly exciting. The long-term reaction was deplor-

At Williamsburg there are not the makings of a great flop - but there is no premonition of a great hit either. No concrete agreement is yet in sight on a grand strategy for the international monetary system; there is not even much prospect of a replenishment of IDA - the World Bank's soft loan fund. On trade in general we shall at best get some worthy declarations of allegiance to an open system (reinforced with a few dark forebodings of a Third World financial crisis unless everyone leads a helping hand) and on East-West trade a sour agreement to disagree. There will be a lot of the processor about a production of the processor and the proc whoopeeing about world recovery now being in full swing, but who, ready to believe it?

There are not many votes in all this for Mrs Thatcher. In fact she could even come away from the gathering a net loser if, as is quite possible, she gets cast as pig-in-the-middle between the Germans and the Americans in the ferocious argument about East-West trade and East-West relations in general. An hour upon the world stage is a heady experience but, without specific achievement, it is apt, particularly at election time, to seem more like a tale told by an idiot, full of sound de Gaulle and Khrushchev). It is and fury, signifying nothing.



Will the election date be set this weekend? Nicholas Wapshott weighs the chances

Judging omens and juggling options

the date of the general election. This weekend, speculation comes to a climax as the Prime Minister officially considers the matter for the first time. All evidence, however ar-fetched, is taken seriously. When it became known that Roy Jenkins was this weekend due to make a rare appearance in Glasgow, Hillhead, cynics deduced that an election must be a certainty.

Another entrail being given particularly careful perusal by stu-dents of the constitution at the moment is the timing of the Cardiff North-west by-election. By the rule laid down by the late Speaker, Selwyn Lloyd, in 1973, the writ must be issued within three months of the vacancy arising, which is next Tuesday.

Two weeks ago. John Biffen handed the matter over to the Speaker, who, all things being equal, should announce on Tuesday that the by-election shall be held on June 9. What chance, then, of the Prime Minister announcing an election on June 16 or 23, sweeping up the by-election in her wake? Would anyone complain? Would the pair of premier parliamentarians, Michael Foot and Enoch Powell, cry 'Gerrymander!"? It would be only a small embarrassment, but in general elections, things can get out of proportion very easily.

One way of avoiding such a wrangle would be to announce a general election before the Speaker announces the by-election.

By Monday or Tuesday next, the Prime Minister will in any case be well-equipped to make up her mind. Despite her protestations that she has been thinking about everything except the date of the election, by Sunday night she can no longer give that excuse. She will leave Downing Street tonight, heading for Chequers and perhaps the most significant weekend of her political life. By her own admission, a second term is essential for her transformation of Britain. So far she has just been building the foundations.

Today the full local election results will provide the biggest test

Every stone has been turned, every rune inspected, every individual tea leaf held up to the light for a clue to Central Office in Smith Square, the Central Office in Smith Square, the results will be fed into a sparkling new £750,000 computer, an ICL ME29, donated anonymously by an admirer. It will take the figures and apply them to the new parliamentary boundaries, giving an accurate projection of how the country would vote in a general election. The verdict will be rushed to Chequers for her perusal.

> Meanwhile, this lunchtime, at the education centre of the General Municipal, Boilermakers and Allied Trades Union in Woodstock College, near Kingston-upon-Thames, there will be a grand council of war of the labour movement. Labour's Shadow Cabinet, national executive and most trade union leaders, under the umbrella of Trade Unions for a Labour Victory - a coalition of all major trade unions except the National Union of Mineworkers will sit down for two days of election

> The Woodstock pow-wow was originally convened after the Labour debacle at Bermondsey, when trade unions panicked at the prospect of another five years of Norman Tebbit, who has promised to reduce their powers drastically if granted a second term. Though originally convened by Moss Evans, of the Transport and General Workers' Union, to bolster Michael Foot's leadership it was thought after Bermondsey that any meeting which brought the leaders of the Labour movement together might result in eliciting the infamous "sick note" which would allow Mr Foot to stand down in favour of Denis Healey.

The Labour victory at Darlington and the arrival of general election fever has changed all that. Now, instead of talking about the leadership and policy differences, the union leaders are eager to discuss the nuts and bolts of the campaign, in particular, drafting their members into the key marginals and, above

all, passing around the hat.
Only if Mrs Thatcher declares an election today will they, momen-tarily, consider doing what the Australian Labour Party did, switching leaders at the beginning of an election campaign, which is known as the "Bob Hawke option". Apart therefore likely from Dewning Street from those in the Shadow Cabinet on Monday or Tuesday. On corridor in the Commons, few Tuesdays, by, chance, the Prime: daydream about this possibility. The time to ditch Mr Foot has passed.

The wheeler-dealers of Woodstock will also be receiving the latest intelligence about the local election results, provided by David Cowling, Labour's psephological one-man band. It is likely to provide a chastening douche for the Labour Party officials, who are inexplicably optimistic about the party's chances of an overall majority. As our Labour Editor reports today, the unions are more realistic and see themselves taking part in a rescue job. Either way, come the end of the planning on Saturday, the brothers will be presenting themselves as a united, happy band, if a little light in

On Sunday morning, while Michael Foot takes his dog, Dizzy, for his constitutional around Hampstead Heath, the quiet of Chequers will be disturbed by the arrival of the BBC World This Weekend team, come to ask a few akward questions. Try as Gordon Clough may, he is unlikely to yank the sword from the stone. When the recording is run at lunchtime, the message will still be wait-and-see. The PM has let it be known that she will announce no news on Saturday or Sunday.

After lunch at Chequers, however, while Michael Foot addresses Clive Jenkins's union at Bournemouth, she will sit down with her three wise men: Geoffrey Howe, in charge of the manifesto, Cecil Parkinson, head of the party machine, and Willie Whitelaw, her trusted deputy. Then, according to the mythology, she will consider the date of the election for the first time. From then on, all four must keep poker faces lest the secret

The Conservatives are ready to go. Their newspaper ads are running their poster sites are booked their coffers are overflow-ing. The manifesto is all but complete. Only the change in the home rating system is undecided.

An announcement one way or another about the election is

Minister has her weekly meeting with the Queen, so what better time to ask for a dissolution?

Which brings us to the date. If she calls it all off, circle some time in October. However, if she announces one on Monday or Tuesday, it depends how long she wants the campaign to run. With such a clear lead in the opinion polls, it would be rash to allow it to last any longer than the bare minimum, which would make it June 9. To fix the date a week or two later would be a confident decision, defying the precedent of June 1970, when the drip-drip-drip of an unappealing Opposition leader plugging away on one theme got through to the electorate in the last few days.

The Labour Party, so far waging a surrogate campaign against the Tories through CND, will be bringing out its secret weapon: the fear of unemployment. A. long campaign could see the Tory lead slip away as the Labour movement spoke, for once, with one voice. So, what of June 9? There would

then be a problem about Mrs Thatcher attending two important summits, at Williamsburg, from May 28 to 30, and at Stuttgart, on June 6 and 7. As both would fall in an election campaign, she would be reminded of an awkward precedent, set in 1945 by Winston Churchill who took Attlee with him to Polsdam, in his words; "in case anyone says "Why are you commit-ting yourself to something for which you have no authority and when in the ballot box there may be something which strips you of your authority?" Nevertheless, she has told President Reagan she will attend Williamsburg, which takes place over the spring bank holiday weekend - not a heavy electioneer

ing period. And the week of June 9 includes the state visit of the President of Sri Lanka. Both Margaret Thatcher and Michael Foot will be invited to the state banquet on Tuesday, June 7, and the Palace has let it be known that no excuses will be accepted. even for a general election. And so

Philip Howard

A grenadier on a hill-top high

some of the west front of Wells. Beverley for misericords, Southwell Minster for carved leaves with little animals hiding in them, Salisbury for its spire. Earth has not anything to show more fair than the crown of Ely riding over the Fens like a great Sailing-ship — except, perhaps, Durham towering on its hill.

But of all our great buildings, there's none that can compare, and in the childish game of top ten cathedrals comes number one with such certitude, as Lincoln. One would not want to be patronizing to William Cobbett, because the quarrelsome old fellow might knock one down, but he hit the nail on the head in Rural Rides when he observed that, "Lincoln Cathedral is, I believe, the finest building in the whole world." It still is, 153 Aprils later. Here are some further

philosophically:

I. The Lincoln Imp, turned to stone for misbehaving in the Angel Choir, is a sad disappointment, discernible with difficulty; and not a patch on his cousin on the West

observations on the matter, arranged

1.1 They keep their cathedral and Minster Yard and environs so beautifully at Lincoln by making it awkward for tourists to get in without paying at least 50p. Most of us gladly gave more. St Paul's please

1.2 This may be a symptom of northern pride compared with the slovenliness of the south. For the Earl of Ancaster's memorial service. everybody was himed out for a grand county ceremony, black stockings for the women, black bowlers for the men, everything decent and in order to do honour to the man and the county.

1.3. The pre-eminence of Lincoln is partly a matter of position. You can see it from 30 miles away across the plain illuminated at night. Nat

Some talk of Exeter Cathedral, and Hawthome remarked that being almost the only hill in Lincolnshire. the inhabitants seem disposed to

make the most of it. 1.31. By an optical illusion and dead ground, as you approach by the road from Nottingham you can see the great rose window above the Bishop's Eye from miles away the base of the second secon through the trees and ruins of the

Bishop's palace.

1.4. The class distinction between the Above Boys and the Below Boys noted by Elia in one of his Last Essays survives up the hill quiet and tasteful tourist shops, down the hill hamburgers and hurly burly

crowd scenes.

2. Did you know that the monumental statue of Tennyson by George Frederic Watts, showing the Laureate looking down grumpily at a tiny flower in his hand, is known locally as "The Disgruntled Cabby"? 2.1. There is a good motto on the former girls' school, now converted to the Art School: "Disce aut discede." Impractical these days.

however 3. Are we quite sure that the point about Lincoln Green was the bright green colour and not the weave? detect some uncertainty in the sources. Is it possible that Robin Hood and his Merry Men wore

shocking pink?
3.1. What is a Wong? And if you answer, "Two Wongs don't make a White", kindly leave the page. There is a street by the cathedral called Lowes Wong. I'll tell you what a Wong is it's a piece of unenclosed meadowland, etymology Old Eng-lish and Old Danish, for we are in the Danelaw up here, my masters. 4. There is a proverb, part of

which is this. They say that Lincoln was, and London is." Taylor, "The Water Poet":

John Taylor, "The Water Poet": wrong again, Taylor.
4.1. The cather rat is, I believe, the finest building in the whole world.

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FRIENDS TALKING

Of all the threats to the Atlantic been, an American leader who gives the impression that it will Alliance at this time the most could communicate effectively insidious is the creeping anti-with the general public on this Americanism that is evident in side of the Atlantic. Other Britain and elsewhere in western: Presidents have had a deeper human rights policy. Europe. There are a number of reasons for this. One of the most significant is the change of generations. Nobody who has come to maturity within the past quarter of a century can have a personal memory of the Second World War or of the Soviet expansion throughout eastern Europe. Younger generations do not therefore have the same recollection of shared danger. Nor do they have the same recollection of a common sense of purpose that came from the rebuilding of western Europe and the establishment of the international trading and monetary systems in the early postwar

The power of the United States, which was earlier seen as the prime safeguard for freedom, is now often regarded more as an economic challenge, or a social economic challenge of a social irritant. In Britain we passed through a phase, which we ought now to be able to put behind us, of wanting to show that we were not everything that Mr Meese truly European by demonstrating said last night will, or should, assent of that we were anti-American. De Gaulle's vision of Britain as-America's Trojan horse lived President Reagan's campaign to after him, a ghost that some- preserve democracy may have

understanding of Europe without . But this is not an issue of great being able to make that evident importance in European-Amerito the people of Europe. Some-times that has been because they failed to express themselves in a lantic relations at the present way that could be appreciated in time are the proposed deploy-Europe. Often it has been ment of intermediate range because their words have come nuclear missiles in western to European cars in abbreviated Europe and the threat of growing and distorted form. They have trade protectionism. On both not been understood in Europe because they have not spoken

directly to Europe.

It would therefore be sufit would therefore be sufficient reason to welcome the Lord Mountbatten Memorial Lecture delivered in Cambridge yesterday evening by Mr Edwin Meese, the Counsellor to President Reagan, that a person of his authority and influence should have taken the time and trouble to sreak directly to a British to speak directly to a British audience. It is still better that he did so in a manner that ought to

have commanded the assent of his audience. His advocacy of times seemed to frighten Britain struck British ears as superficial as much as it did other European in its appreciation of the subtlety of international affairs. A major But a special reason for the power like the United States growth of anti-Americanism has cannot conduct its foreign policy been the decline in the quality of simply according to whether it the transatiantic dialogue. Not approves of the internal political since John Kennedy has there systems of other countries. If it the Atlantic.

do so, it is liable to find itself accused of double standards - as President Carter found over his

can relations. The two questions that matter above all for transatthese subjects Mr Meese spoke with understanding. It was not to be expected that he would make any fresh commitment on trade at this moment, just before the Williamsburg summit meeting at the end of the month. But he gave every indication of being fully alive to the nature and extent of the danger.

On the missiles, he spoke with the constructive firmness that is required. It is in the western interest to secure a balance of strength at the lowest level of arms that can be negotiated. To sacrifice balance for the sake of an agreement with the Soviet Union would be folly. But if the United States is to command the confidence of European opinion it also needs to provide assurance that it will negotiate positively. In this respect, as in the broader theme of his speech, Mr Meese showed an understanding of European concerns. But if this understanding is to be politically effective, Mr Meese's visit must be part of a pattern in developing the dialogue across

THE WAGES OF OPPORTUNISM

"In my opinion, the mistakes we more abject denial of everything so easily arrested in their homes, made are really grave. There was this veteran communist leader's espionage, deceit, treachery - all career had stood for, devoted as morning. of those were there. These are it was to internationalism and to scrious aberrations and, in my the faithful application in Iran of opinion, they deserve the most a political line devised in severe punitive actions that the Moscow, often in total disregard Islamic Republic may decide to of Iranian political conditions, mete out.

Iranian television last Saturday Mr Nureddin Kianuri pronounced, in all probability, his thinking about. own death warrant as well as that Serve him right, one is of the Tudeh party of which he tempted to say, for at least two has been a leading member reasons. First, he represented the throughout its forty-two-year movement and the power which existence and secretary-general first perfected this odious tech-1978. on Wednesday the prosecutor general announced the dissolution of the "pro-Soviet and treacherous Tudeh", ordering all its members and supporters to report to his office within a of its open contempt for them week. A few hours later, in an and their ideas and in spite of the ostensibly separate but no doubt -violent repression which it used connected development, the against all other left-wing parties.

foreign ministry ordered eight. Why did it do so? The most cen Soviet diplomats to leave the

Mr Kianuri's interview/interrogation ended with a "final in a position to expand its message" to the young members membership and influence with of his party; "In my opinion the a view to scizing power in a later that by so doing we offer thing they should refrain from phase of the revolution. There ourselves as defenceless victims and avoid as much as possible is must have been an element of for imprisonment, torture and that no Leftist trend should that Mr Kianuri and his col- execution." Such an extrainfiltrate Iran as it means leagues certainly underestimated ordinary spirit of self-sacrifice affiliation to foreigners, to the danger they were in Other-

not to mention Iranian national With these words, spoken on interests. The methods used to wring from him this "confession do not bear too much

Sure enough nique, in the Moscow show trials the prosecutor of the 1930s. Secondly, he and need the dissol- his party—on Moscow's instructions no doubt - had insisted oncontinuing to support the regime. of Ayatollah Khomeini in spite

> Why did it do so? The most obvious answer is that the Tudeh party hoped thereby to escape such repression itself, and to be

in the small hours of the

At the same time they were good enough historians to be well aware of the chances, and the risks, of failure, In April, 1980 Mr Kianuri was asked, by a Times correspondent, whether he was not worried by the example of what had happened to the Iraqi Communist Party, which had given the same kind of uncritical support to the Baath regime in Iraq that he was now giving to Ayatollah Khomeini, and which had none the less we collaborate with bourgeois nationalists they do not share our ideas, and that they may one day cross over into the reactionary camp. But so long as they are confronting imperialism it is our duty to support them."-

Which being translated is: "we will support even anticommunist regimes so long as their foreign policies happen to serve the interest of the Soviet Union, even though we know would be admirable if it were not aliens." It is hard to imagine a wise they would not have been devoted to so unworthy a cause.

MINISTERS DO NOT MAGNATES MAKE

It is more than 35 years since Mr andum prepared for the all-party Herbert Morrison and his Social-Commons Public Accounts isation of Industries Cabinet Committee by Mr Gordon Committee reshaped one chunk Downey, the Comptroller and of British industry after another Auditor General, and used to in the image of his first and favourite creation, the London Passenger Transport Board. In the early 1980s, nobody is now satisfied with the condition of his progeny, or many of the other nationalised industries as this week has shown.

At the level of high politics, the Prime Minister made it clear that a second Thatcher administration would march on another privatisation crusade. "It's absolutely ridiculous", she told our Political Editor, "that so many industrial and commercial decisions should come up to a Cabinet and a Prime Minister". From the top plateau of bureaucracy, Sir Peter Carey, retiring Permanent Secretary at the Department of Industry, said, exhibiting a civil servant's love of understatement, the relationship between Government and force of about 1.5m; but Morristate corporations was "less than perfect" due to an "underlying ambivalence on the part of governments".

On the left politicians also tend to be snide about the Morrisonian model. It lacked any concept of worker participation, let alone worker control: it was applied only to big, warworn industries or those wrestling with long-term structural difficulties. According to this school of political economy nationalisation has never been France or Italy.

recent evidence that all is not Democrats tend to that much of well in the public sector has the problem would be solved if are fighting for, and how to get come in a little noticed memor- the boundaries of the mixed there.

good effect in examining two permanent secretaries. Mr Downey's paper, which illustrated beyond question the feebleness of Whitehall's grip on important aspects of nationalised industry finance, was based on case studies of relations between the Department of Transport and the British Railways Board, the Department of Energy and the National Coal Board, and the Department of Industry and British Telecom.

The paper showed just how inadequate are the sinews of financial control, in both the public corporations and the Whitehall divisions charged with watching them. Admittedly, Whitehall as a whole has to monitor 19 state industries with a combined turnover in 1981-82 of some £38 billion and a labour son created a Leviathan which,

suggestions for reform have more ment than others. What would not help, despite the views of some nationalised. industry chairmen, is to make the Treasury the ministry of nationalised industries and the sponsoring department for all of . must maintain its role as umpire given a chance in Britain, unlike somewhat above the fray and nitimate controller of the purse-The most damaging piece of strings. To argue, as the Social

economy were frozen is a surrender to intellectual bankruptcy. Stability can be an asset but a status quo which perpetuated deficiencies unearthed by Mr Downey is not something to cherish.

Sir Peter Carey's suggestion that the Government should pay top rates to attract top people into chairmanships and then leave them to get on with it has genuine merit, and has certainly been followed in the case of Mr Ian MacGregor. Though if logic has a part, that would imply leaving these managerial and commercial firebrands to borrow as much as they felt necessary which is not a course calculated to appeal to Mrs Thatcher. In 1980 the public sector was ordered to trim its external financial requirements by £3bn. So far, £1bn has been shed.

Sir Peter's view raises the question of why is it necessary to have state industries at all if a hands-off policy is to be pursued? Does the public interest by its very size, is now clearly any longer require that the uncontrollable.

There is no panacea; but some publicly owned? That is a suggestions for reform have question which Mrs Thatcher has not fully tackled in her first administration, only pursing privatisation piecemeal where the condition of the industry and the market made it possible. There is more to be done to relieve Ministers and their them. The task is too big for one departments of commercial and institution and the Treasury industrial decisions for which they are not fitted. Before the second privatisation crusade sets out from Whitehall the Prime Minister and her Cabinet should consider precisely what it is they

Rate reform a vital need

From Mr Geoffrey Rippon. Q.C., MP for Hexham (Conservative)

Sir. The announcement that the Conservative election manifesto will contain positive proposals for reforming the rating system will be widely welcomed. The implicit recognition that abolition is not feasible has opened the way to practical measures that can and should be implemented at an early I believe this priority should be

given to the following: 1. A transfer of the cost of teachers' salaries and an increased proportion of the police and fire services over to the Exchequer, accompanied by 2. A consequent 25 per cent derating of industry and commerce and the abolition of rates on manufacturing plant and machinery.

3. Domestic rate relief should be

extended to small businesses. 4. Payment of rates by instalments should be allowed in all cases. 5. Rating of empty property, introduced in the boom conditions of the early 1970s, should be

6. Crown property and the property of statutory undertakings, such as reservoirs, should be rated by the same procedure as other property. 7. Rebates should be allowed for domestic water consumers on the same basis as for domestic rates.

8. A revaluation of all property should be set in hand on the basis of capital values and revaluation should take place at least every five years, ;

Above all we must find a more satisfactory way of altering the financial assistance given by central to local government. The current Byzantine methods of calculating annual rate-support grants are creating confusion and uncertainty everywhere. Consideration should be given to financing local government on a basis similar to that of universities, who receive a five-year block grant.

Our universities are often referred to as models of independence and for this reason greatly envied by other countries. There is no reason why this should not be equally valid for our local councils. Yours faithfully, GEOFFREY RIPPON. House of Commons. May 5.

Private schools plans

From the Headmaster of the Royal Grammar School, Lancaster Sir, Mr. Neil Kinnock (April 27) appears to be offering private schools the same future - voluntary maintained status within a comprebensive educational system - as was so widely rejected by the direct-grant schools during the last Labour Government. Has he any new inducements, apart from more direct attempts to prevent fee-Baathist repression: "We are well orities to take on the maintenance aware," he replied, "that when and resourcing of the schools, or governors to accept the restrictions of the maintained sector?

Since many of the schools will have boarding facilities it might be helpful to explore a new category of voluntary school, neither aided nor controlled, with central rather than controlled, with central rather than local authority maintenance, and with greater independence incorporated in the articles of government and guaranteed by legislation. Some existing voluntary schools might also choose to move to such a status. Yours faithfully.

A. M. JOYCE, Headmaster, The Royal Grammar School, Lancaster.

In police custody From Mr Ole Hansen and Ms

Geraldine Van Bueren. Sir, It is important to correct the error contained in your editorial, dated May 3. Applications by the police to extend an individual's detention without charge beyond 36 hours would be in closed, not in

open courts.
Unnoticed, part IV of the Police and Criminal Evidence Bill defines in clause 35(2) a magistrates' court as "a court consisting of two or more justices of the peace sitting otherwise than in open court".

Such a radical departure from modern English legal principles is far wider than is necessary for the protection of a suspect's reputation. All that is required is the imposition of reporting restrictions similar to these applying to committal pro-ceedings and which can be lifted at the detainee's request. Yours faithfully,

OLE HANSEN GERALDINE VAN BUEREN. The Legal Action Group, 28A Higheate Road, NWS. May 4.

Cuckold in the nest

From his Honour Paul Layton Sir: Other species of birds take stricter views of marital morality (letter, April 11) - or did 50 years

May I remind you of a report from Our Own Correspondent in Turkey", which appeared in The Times of April 19, 1932? It was of a pair of storks who returned one day to the nest and were seen in "fierce altercation", as a result of which the male flew away and collected the rest of the storks from the village.

They, having examined the nest, flew in circles above it apparently in conclave. After half an hour the male and two others "returned to the nest and solemnly killed the

The male then took a chick from the nest and gently deposited it on the ground. It was a unkey chick Investigation revealed that a small boy had substituted a unkey's egg for one of the stork's eggs in the nest. Yours etc.

PAUL LAYTON. 70A Leopold Road, SW19.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Uncompromising view of Prague talks A meeting with From Dr Alex Comfort

Sir, As an old CND member, and one of the Committee for 100, now in partibus infidelium, I find the uproar over the World Peace Council very familiar. Of course the two Powers which endanger Europe have their sights on CND - it threatens them because it represents the interests of an independent European opinion. The Russians attempt to take it over, the Americans and their pro-consuls in Western governments attempt to smear it as communist. The unmanaged expression of public protest frightens both of them out of

As I recall matters, it was the World Peace Council "front" which coined the slogan "Ban the bomb". When we took that slogan and ran with it, they mistook us for supporters. I can still recall their faces when we marched to the Soviet as well as the American Embassy. Mr Heseltine, I suspect, would be

unable to comprehend a genuinely popular movement even if he wished to do so. Nobody can "lead" or divert this one - if anyone tries, the following melts away. Observing the Prague conference will not compromise our virginity: whatever the conference passes by way of party-line resolutions, we are more likely to infiltrate them (and strengthen a genuinely pro-Euro-pean and popular peace movement about which Moscow is profoundly uncomfortable) than they us. We have had one sound piece of

advice from the Government - we should indeed "raise our eyes to the Berlin Wall". If we do, we shall lower them again with the recog-nition that this is the moment to trade European neutrality for European reunification.

CND may have arisen from the anxiety of reasonable citizens over nuclear war, but European neutrality is its diplomatic corollary - not the disarmament of a Britain which continues to lead with its chin by remaining uneasily allied to either of the two Caesars.

CND is more than a protest against nuclear war – it is a rejection of Great Power paranoia, and of Western governments which subordinate national interest to the policies of the USA and the USSR. Given that realization, I do not think that the public will be readily manipulated by fellow-travellers of either complexion. I am, Sir,

ALEX COMFORT. 683 Oak Grove Drive, Santa Barbara, California,

From Mr. Eric Jacobs Sir. Nicolas Walter (April 30) quotes my old Guardian colleague, Victor Zorza, as writing, of the demonstration that took place in Moscow's Red Square during the World Peace Council meeting of July, 1962, that it was "the most direct challenge to official Soviet policies and ideas to have been presented to the Soviet man in the street since freedom of speech died under Stalin". But all that shows is how very little challenge of any kind there can have been before that demonstration, not how successful that demonstration itself

I was in Red Square, for The Guardian, and this is what happened. A small minority of the Western delegates to the peace conference decided they must disprove the taunt that, while they could demonstrate freely in London

Mountain accidents

From Mr D. M. Asquith

Sir. In reports of accidents in mountain or moorland country, the separation of a party often appears prominently as the stage when things begin to go wrong. This seems to have been evidenced yet again in the tragic events of last weekend (report, May 3).

Hill walking brings out the differences in both physical ability and psychology which exist in all of us. As a party settles into a routine, a pecking order develops and small groups often establish themselves. In clear conditions this is probably acceptable within reasonable limits, but when weather closes in any distance between front and real becomes a potential problem. Once those at one end cannot be seen or heard by those at the other, the dangers increase.

Adventurous activities offer great enjoyment and comradeship. Practi-calities apart, it would be quite wrong to talk of banning the inexperienced from the hills. Nevertheless the leader of any party should be aware of the hazards and ready to exercise such discipline as varying conditions may demand. That includes keeping the party

It is better to be safe than sorry. Yours faithfully. D. M. ASQUITH, Summerfield, 120 Aldelisse Road, Lancaster. May 3.

Pints of difference

From Mr Roger Protz

Sir, Mr David Hewsons's article (Saturday, April 16) on British beer and the Campaign for Real Ale asked a number of pertinent and searching questions about the future role of Camra after more than a decade of highly successful proselytizing. It is disappointing that he clouded his case by factual inaccur-

acy and innuendo.

I agree that cask-conditioned beer accounts for some 16 per cent of the total beer market, but that has not been a static figure. Between 1969 and 1979, the consumption of traditional draught beer grew by

more than a million pints a day. To suggest that brewers have returned to cask beer production in order to humour Camra is, frankly, 'Leeds. grotesque and is at odds with Mr May I.

or Washington, they neither would nor could in Moscow. So they bravely marched into Red Square. From Father Dominic unfurled a banner and raised it aloft. Whereupon, out of the usuai, crowd of sightseers in the square, emerged some unremarkable look-ing gentlemen who ended the demonstration by the extremely simple expedient of unpinning the banner and leaving two young men with nothing in their hands but empty poles. Their demonstration had lasted all of several seconds.

Then, to the astonishment of the Western press, the crowd of sightseers yielded more unexpected talents. It turned out to be made up almost entirely of people who spoke excellent English. Not only that, but they were very well briefed to denounce the demonstrators for showing a lack of courtesy by demonstrating in a foreign country. And they had the standard line of Soviet neacomposering off recomposering of recomposering off recomposering of recomposering off reco Soviet peace-mongering off pat.
British and American TV crews

seized on this rare opportunity to interview Russian men and women in the street. The result was a neat reversal of the demonstrators' intentions. Their peace banner got a few seconds' exposure before a small crowd of "sightseers", while back in Europe and America Soviet propaganda got another outing on the television networks. I hope Mr Walter and his friends

do better with their attempts to communicate with the people of Prague at the next World Peace Council conference, but I doubt it. Yours sincerely, ERIC JACOBS.

5A Dickenson Road, N8. April 30.

From Mr Winston S. Churchill, MP for Stretford (Conservative)

Sir, At a time when so many serious points are at issue affecting the future, indeed the very fate of mankind, I believe that many people (not least among his own sup-porters) will find it regrettable that the General Secretary of CND, Mgr Bruce Kent, should seek to trivialise the nuclear debate by descending to the level of personal attacks and Turcar accusations.

sying that there is a "smear campaign" against CND and that "he had evidence that Mr Churchill had weekly meetings with the people running the smear campaign". You further quote him directly as stating: These people meet with Winston Churchill once a week".

The Monsignor's charge is a grave one, directed not only against me but against my parliamentary colleagues on the committee of the Campaign for Defence and Multilateral Disarmament and against the members of the Committee for Peace with Freedom, comprising virtually all the multilateralist organisations, with whom I meet

quarterly. I have never taken part, either directly or indirectly, in any smear No easy exit campaign, nor has such a campaign ever been discussed at the meetings of the two above committees of which I am chairman. I therefore call upon Mgr Kent unequivocally to withdraw his false accusation or to produce his "evidence" that I am involved in a smear campaign against CND and take part in weekly

meetings with its organisers. In the absence of such evidence your readers will be able to draw their own conclusions as to who is the smear-monger.

Yours faithfully, WINSTON S. CHURCHILL, House of Commons.

Hewson's stress on the need for brewing companies to satisfy their

Lager is not drunk by a majority of drinkers. It is, indeed, 30 per cent of the beer market, backed by saturation, costly advertising it would be interesting to see what traditional beer's percentage would be if the same amount of money

were put behind its promotion. But the lager market is no longer buoyant and all the evidence from brewery watchers and City analysis indicates that it has reached its market plateau. Bitter - draught, keg, bottle and can - remains the dominant beer style in Britain.

To deduce from my future employment plans with the London Borough of Islington that Camra has a "predominantly left-wing drift" is a distortion of the truth. strength of Camra lies in its lack of political bias, its ability to talk to governments and the EEC free of any dogma, and its convivial use of the talents of people from many backgrounds and political persussions united by a desire to protect Britain's unique beer style. Yours faithfully.

ROGER PROTZ, Editor, Good Beer Guide, Campaign for Real Ale, 34 Alma Road, St Albans, Hertfordshire. April 19.

Parliamentary terms

Mr Patrick Nuttgens

Sir, Rather than speculate on which date is more likely to win them the next election, would it not be more honourable if governments saw out the five years for which, after all, we elected them?

I am not sure when it became the custom to call an election at any time to suit - presumably only since opinion polls became commonplace. Governments must, of course, resign they lose the confidence of the House. It would surely be more responsible as well as democratic if they carried out the tasks for which we elected them, did their full term and reported to us to find out if we wished them to carry on. (It might also be more popular).

Yours etc. PATRICK NUTTGENS, Director, Leeds Polytechnic, 25 Queen Square,

From Father Dominic Kirkham,

O. Praem. Sir, I have recently returned from a tour of Poland, during which I had the good fortune to be able to meet Lech Walesa at his home. We had a lengthy discussion, the main points of which I thought may be of general

interest His first concern was to express his thanks to the British public for all their help and support, not only to him but also to the Polish nation.

Over the position of Solidarity he wanted to make it clear that it was not a trade union and it was not this sort of structure that was his prime interest. He regarded structures as crooked and perverse, and did not want to replace one such structure with another. What he was interested in was a moral renewal of people's own individual lives, a renewal based on the recognition of genuine values such as truth, justice, the recognition of human dignity,

freedom and democracy.

Solidarity stood for these values and the people who were trying to attain them. The present regime had tried to destroy Solidarity and in doing so had exposed their own values as the contrary of these: it had shown itself for what it really not a lie Not that he wanted to be was, a lie. Not that he wanted to be rid of socialism; what he really wanted to do was to bring about a renewal of it based on the values he

had mentioned. For the immediate future he had no particular plans. He was prepared to wait on the course of events for the appropriate time. He felt that a time would come that was right, just as August, 1980, had been the right time. When he had been released from internment he had spoken with General Kiszczak and told him openly that he no intention of renouncing his role as an active leader, so he had nothing to hide on this point. The source of his confidence and hope was the faith of the nation, the faith of his forefathers, which in time of difficulty is always the most important thing.

He saw, in contrast, that the West was afraid of communism because

of its lack of faith. The West had put its priority in material possessions and communism threatened to take this away and so leave them with nothing. His own material welfare had been provided for by collections taken in the docks; he had not used money from any other sources, though it had been offered

Yours sincerely DOMINIC. Norbertine Canons, Our Lady of England Priory. Storrington. Pulborough.

From the Reverend Dr Chad Varah Sir, Your leader (April 29) manages to discuss suicide in this country without mentioning the Samaritans, to whom the booklet. Guide to Self-Deliverance, recommends recourse. The Samaritans were active in 1961 in pressing for suicide to be no longer a crime and accepted the severe penalties for aiding and abetting as a reasonable safeguard

against murder by this method. Your contributor, having said that most suicides perhaps spring from desperation over health, money or personal relationships, then goes on instead to biame the availability of "the means" and to regard the use of these as impulsive: the means are not readily to hand, 'the crisis is likely to pass". All by itself? Without either Samaritan befriending or professional help? Would that it were so simple.

"One of the most pregnant lights in the character of suicide," he claims (and I doubt whether even he has a clear picture of pregnant lights), is the "sudden fall of no less than one third in the British suicide rate in the years 1964-70, apparently as a result of the introduction of non-poisonous natural gas in the home". The fall was not sudden, but steady: in England and Wales it was from 1963-75 and correlated not with the introduction of natural gas but with the rise in the number of Samaritans and of calls upon them. Now that natural gas is universal,

but barbiturates harder to obtain than in the seventies, the growth of the Samaritans has levelled off and suicides have begun to rise again.

Tinkering with the means and denigrating the Samaritans is no answer: the poor in Hongkong jump off skyscrapers, in Latin America swallow weedkiller. The causes to

tackle are within the person. Yours faithfully, CHAD VARAH, Chairman, Befrienders International, St Stephen Walbrook, EC4.

Financial constraint

From Mr Adrian S. Cox Sir. Does the fact that the new £1 coins do not get through the hole in the top of Miss Ellacott's money box (April 30) mean that we are in for a consumer boom?

Yours sincerely, ADRIAN'S COX, 64 Excter Gardens, Stamford, Lineolushire.

April 30.

From Mr D. C. Fitch Sir. I am puzzled to know why Miss Ellacott (April 30) should want to put eight terms' pocket money in her money box all at once. I have the honour to be Your obedient servant, D. C. FITCH (65), 12 Church Road, Airesford. Colchester,

COURT AND SOCIAL

Conservation Trust's Care of Buildings Exhibition at Hampton Court Palace, Surrey. In the evening

Court Palace, Surrey, in the evening His Royal Highness was entertained to Dinner by His Excellency Dr Young Hoon Kang, Ambassador of the Republic of Kores, at 28 Parkside, London SW19.

Licutenant-Colonel Sir Simon

Bland was in attendance.

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE

May & Princess Alexandra this afternoon visited Emanuel School

and laid the foundation stone for

new Junior Classrooms to mark the Centenary of the School at Battersea Rise, London SWII.

Lady Nicholas Gordon Lennoz

Her Royal Highness, as Patron, later received Lady Bingley, Chair-man of the National Association for Mental Health, and the Director,

at the annual dinner of the Royal Academy of Arts at Burlington

and Miss D. E. Farges
The engagement is announced between John, son of Mr G. Rundell

and the late Mrs Rundell, of Johannesburg, and Diana, daughter of Colonel and Mrs B. A. Fargus, of Howgate, Midlothian.

and Miss E. O'Garman
The engagement is announced
between Jonathan younger son of
Dr and Mrs John Weston Smith, of

Wiggington, Staffordshire, and Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs William O'Gorman, of

and Miss R. W. Herbert
The engagement is announced
between Adrian, younger son of Mr
and Mrs H. Widdowson, of
Dewsbury, West Yorkshire, and
Katharine Mary, only daughter of
Mr and Mrs B. T. Herbert, of
Roundhay, Leeds.

Mr M.A. Campbell and Miss L.J. Nickson The marriage took place on Saturday, April 30, at St Mary's, Aberfoyle, of Mr Melfort Andrew

Abertoyle, of Mr Meltort Andrew
Campbell, youngest son of Lleutenant-Colonel and Mrs Robert
Campbell, of Altries, Maryculter,
Aberdeenshire, and Miss Lucy Jane
Nickson, second daughter of Mr and
Mrs David Nickson, of Renagour,
Aberfoyle, Stirling, The Bishop of St
Andrews, Dunkeld and Dunblane
officiated and the Rev John Crook
and Father Renedict Office for sice

and Father Benedict O'Keefe also took part in the service.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Arabella Cox, Edward Bradford

and her sister, Rosemary Nickson. Mr John Meny-Gibert was best

A reception was held at the home of the bride.

and Miss E. A. Gwilt
The marriage took place in
Shrewbury, Shropshire, on Monday,
April 18, of Mr Michael Fabian and
Miss Elaine Gwilt.

and Miss K. M. Herbert

Marriages

Mr Christopher Hegingbotham.

House on May 23.

COURT CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE May 5: The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh visited Royal Air Force

watched a Flying Dislay.

Her Majesty and His Royal
Highness, attended by the Countries
of Airlie, the Right Hon Sir Philip
Moore, Major-General Michael
Palmer and Squadron Leader Adam
Wise, travelled in an aircraft of The
Queen's Flight.

The Duke of Edinburch Countries Coltishall today, Her Majesty and His Royal by Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Norfolk (Mr Timothy Colman), the Air Officer Commanding in Chief Strike Command (Air Chief Murshal Sir David Craig) and the Officer Commanding Royal Air Lieutenant Commander Andrew Highness were received upon arrival Officer Commanding Royal Air Force Coltishall (Group Captain

The Queen and The Duke of KENSINGTON PALACE

The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh visited the Operations May 5: The Princess Margaret, Wing Briefing Headquarters and afterwards viswed Jaguar aircraft this evening at a reception given by and a display of associated engineering facilities.

Her Majessy and His Royal Highness then toured Coltishall Airfield School (Headmistress, Mrs Liebens School and later visited the Sergeants Mess.

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J. rerguson) and later visited the Sergeants' Mess.

The Queen, with The Duke of Edinburgh, honoured the Officer Commanding Royal Air Force Coltishall with her presence at Highness is President.

Mrs Jame Stevens and Major The Lord Napier and Ettrick were in attendance.

A memorial service for Viscount Head will be held in the Guards Chapel, Wellington Barracks, on Tuesday, May 10, at noon.

Forthcoming

Mr G. M. J. Morrison

Dr D. M. Ratcliffe and Miss A. Wilson

Drive, Oxshott, Surrey,

and Miss D. H. Karpetkin

and Miss M. M. K. Muldoon

Mr C. T. Harding and Miss B. A. Underhill

Mr I. J. Benjamin

and The Hon Charlotte Monckton

Northmoor, Oxfordshire, and Char-lotte Anne, only daughter of the late

9th Viscount Galway and of Lady Teresa Agnew, of Melbury House,

M. Ratcliffe, of 440 Ombersley

Road, Worrester, and Annika, daughter of Sir David and Lady Wilson, of Tandem House, Queen's

The engagement is announced between lan, son of Mr and Mrs Alexander Benjamin, of Berk hamsted, Hertfordshire, and Debo-

marriages -

Mr C. D. Billam and Miss M. V. Ansari

The engagement is announced between Cristopher Damien, eldest son of the late Mr R. Billam and Mrs A. Billam, of Paris, France, and Mahaab Violette, only daughter of Mrs A. G. Lewiston, of South-bourne, Dorset, and Mr D. J. Ansari, of Houston, Texas. The engagement is announced between Guy Martin James, only son of Mr M. J. F. Morrison, of West Tytherley, Wiltshire, and of Mrs D. F. B. Keogh, of Brook Farm,

luncheon in the Officers' Mess, and afterwards viewed a display of laguar deployed operations and watched a Flying Dislay.

Lieutenant-Commander Andrew Wynn, RN, was in attendance.

Mr J. D. Lister and Miss C. P. M. Balinska-Jundzill

Jundzill
The engagement is announced between John Dudley Lister, of 4
Chiddingstone Street, London SW6, son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Dudley Lister and of Mrs Lister, of 58 Hurlingham Court, SW6, and Caroline Patricia Maria, daughter of the late Count Jan Balinski-Jundzill The engagement is announced between David, son of Mr and Mrs and Countess Marie Balinska-Jundzill, of Croft House, Sudbury,

Mr C. M. Packshaw
and Miss H. M. Youngman
The engagement is announced
between Charles, only son of Mrs
Muriel Packshaw and the late Mr
Savile Packshaw, of Rivermead
Court, London, SW6, and Helena,
daughter of Mr and Mrs Peter
Youngman, of Charsfield Hall,
Woodbridge, Suffolk.

Mr J. Story amd Miss L. A. Joseph

rah, daughter of the late Mr Marvin M. Karpatkin and of Mrs Rhoda H. Karpatkin, of New York. The engagement is announced between John, eldest son of Mr and Mrs William Story, of Overton-ou-Dee, Clwyd, and Lucy, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Brian The engagement is announced between Nigel, son of the late Mr B. V. Brotherton and of Mrs J. P.

Brady, of Kew, Surrey, and Margaret, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs B. Muldoon, of Wembley, Mr M. W. H. Thomas and Miss U. M. F. McLoseblin

the engagement is announced between Mark, son of Mr and Mrs A. H. Thompson, of Eweside, Cockburnspath, Berwickshire, and Ursula, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs E. P. McLoughlin, of Rigand, Quebec, Canada.

The engagement is announced of hristopher, only son of Mr and Mrs A. F. Harding, of Caerphilly, and Barbara, only daughter of Mr and Mrs V. J. A. Underhill, of Chobham, Surrey. Mr G. Tengos and Miss A. McAlley

The engagement is announced between Graham, eldest son of Mr Mr H. C. J. Marshall octween Granam, closes son of Mr and Mrs David Tongue, of Haselton, Gloucestershire, and Alison, eldest daughter of Mr Ian McAlley, of Marylebone, and of Mrs Mary McAlley, of Wimbledon, London. and Ms H. E. Williamson The engagement is announced between Harvey Christopher John Marshall, of London, W2, and Hazel Eleanor Williamson (née Bridden), of London, SW4.

Commonwealth

Sir Peter Mills, deputy chairman, United Kingdom Branch, was host at a luncheon given yesterday in the House. of Commons by the executive committee of the UK Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Accordation in Parliamentary Association in honour of Commonwealth parliamentarians attending the 1983 parliamentary visit at Westminster.

Luncheons

Butchers' Company
The Master of the Butchers'
Company, Mr R. J. Lickorish,
presided at a court luncheon held at Butchers' Hall yesterday to welcome the newly formed Meat Industry Training Organization. The toast of the guests was proposed by Mr Frederick J. Mallion and the reply

Receptions

sary of the foundation of the Institute of Sports Medicine. Members of both Houses of Parliament were among the guests.

European National Secretaries of Rehabilitation International

Mr John Hannam, MP, and Mr Lewis Caner-Jones, MP, entertained the European National Secretaries of Rehabilitation International at a reception in the House of Commons last night. They were received by the Minister for Social Security and the Disabled, Mr Hugh

Among the other guests were:
Baroness Lime-Fox, Mr D G Russell, Mr J M
Blackburn: Dr J G Sommerville, Chairman
of the executive committee of the Royal
Association for Desisting and Rehabilit
Bornott and Lord Colgrafa, Joint Personers,
and Lady Colgrafa, nod Dr Harry Fang,
President of Rehabilitation International,
and Mrs Fang.

National Maritime Museum
The Trustees and Director of the
National Maritime Museum and
members of the Admiralty Board were joint hosts for a reception at the museum for the opening of the Centenary Exhibition of the Royal Speaker
The Speaker gave a reception in
Speaker's House yesterday evening
to celebrate the twentieth anniverthe museum for the opening of the
Centenary Exhibition of the Royal
Corps of Naval Constructors on
Tuesday, May 3. The First Sea Lord

and Chief of Naval Staff, Sir John Fieldhouse, formally opened the exhibition. Dr Basil Greenhill, director of the museum, and Mr K. H. W. Thomas, head of the corps,

Mr M. J. Fabian

Institution of Mining and Metallungy The annual dinner of the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy was held at the Imperial College of Science and Technology yesterday. Mr

and Technology yesterday. Mr Michael West, president of the institution, was in the chair. The principal speaker was Mr C. F. Barber and other speakers included Mr K. B. Smale-Adams, president-elect, and Mr P. G. Smith.

St Albans Cathedral Trust St Albans Cathedral Trust held a dinner last night in the Chapter House. The speakers included the Bishop of St Albans, Sir Eric Cheadle, chairman of the Trust and

Guild of Air Pilots and Air Navigators The Duke of Edinburgh, Grand Master of the Guild of Air Pilots Abbey Appeal, and the Mayor of St. Navigators

Albans. The Dean of St Albans. The Duke of Edinburgh, Grand made a presentation to Lady Master of the Guild of Air Pilots Aldenham, wife of the retiring trust and Air Navigators, presided at a

WOTE.

The Lord Liouienard of Highlardshire Lord Aldenham, Lord Luie, Str Kenneth Cork, Mr Antitiony Cayarr, Mr Simon Bowes Lyon and other metabers of the Trust and Annual Committee.

University College London
The Lord Mayor and Lady
Mayoress, accompanied by Alderman and Sheriff Alan Traill, were present at a dinner given by University College London at the Mansion House yesterday. Sir Peter Matthews, chairman of council, and Lady Matthews, the Provost, Sir James Lighthill and Lady Lighthill, received the guests, who included:

The Lord Chardelor, the Honourable Mary Hogg, the High Commissioner for Australia, the Norwegian Ambassodor, the High Commissioner for New Zestand, the Master of the Rolls, Visitor, and Alderman Lady Donaldson, Lord Moyris. Lord Shophard, ST Barnard Waley-Cohen, Sir Peter Parters, ST Barnard Scott, Professor Randolph Ourk, Vice-Crancellor of London University, Mr Jerry Wiggin, MP and Mr George Howard.

340,000 francs (estimate behing regurgilated by 200,000-250,000 francs), or whale, in a very pretty landscape, which sold for 90,000 English dealer. chairman. Among those present

Prince secured 510,000 francs

The private collection of M.

F. de Paniagua proved a virtual

sellout in Paris on Wednesday, fetching almost £600,000. It was

collection suited to furnishing

home with a special accent on

The top price of the day was

faience and arms.

simple ormolu mounts.

AN APPEAL TO YOU

livery dinner held at Fishmongers'
Hall yesterday. The Master of the
Merchant Taylors' Company, the
Prime Warden of the Fishmongers'
Company and the Master of the
Gold of Air Pilots and Air Navigators also spoke. .

300,000 francs (£67,800) for a The Musee de laf Chasse, library table, or bureau plat, of Paris, spent 50,000 francs, or restrained Neo-classical design £4,237, on a lady's hunting gun

bearing the stamp of the of about 1720 made by Johann cabinet-maker J. F. Leleu. It is Paul Breidenfeiter at Carlsbad,

veneered in rosewood, with and the same price for a Louis simple ormolu mounts.

XV hunting knife made in the

A pair of attractive landscape Far East for the European paintings by Jean-Baptiste Le market.

(estimate 250,000-300,000 was a fine eighteenth-century francs) or £43,220 and a pair of Mousteiers plate, with the Pillement seascapes made centre decorated with Jonah 340,000 francs (estimate behing regurgitated by the

The Speaker was the principal guest at the annual dinner of the Newspaper Society held on Wednesday at Grosvenor House, Mr C. N. D. Cole, president, accompanied by Mrs Cole, was in the chair and among others present were: The Doke of Atholi, Lord and Lady March, Sir Alex and Lady Jansel, Mr and Mrs R A Stiby, Mr and Mrs P W Barker, Mr and Mrs D Lowndes, Mr Patrick Nell, CC, and Mrs Nell, Mr and Mrs D R Campbell, Mr and Mrs Mrs M Barrington-Ward and Prebendary Devid Morgan.

Words of war: Three posters dating from the First World War, Part of a collection of printed

ephemera to be sold at Christie's South Kensington today (Photographs Peter Trievnor)

Library table makes £67,800

at Paris auction

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

80,000-100,000 francs) or

£5,085, on a large pewter basin elaborately worked with mytho-

logical scenes and dating from 1580-85. It was made by

In the faience section there

François Briot at Montbellard.

The Ministers de la Culture francs (estimate 40,000-50,000

spent 60,000 francs (estimate francs) or £7,627. The silver

Fellowship of Engineering
The Duke of Edinburgh, Senior
Fellow of the Fellowship of
Engineering, presided at the New
Fellow's dinner held at the
Apothecaries' Hall on Wednesday,
May 4, and was received on arrival
by the president of the fellowship,
Viscount Caldecote.

Service dinners

Honorable Artillery Company
Officers of the Honorable Artillery
Company held their annual dinner company held their annual dunner at Armoury House, last night. General Sir Victor Fitzgeorge Balfour was in the chair and the guests included the Adjutant General, General Sir George Cooper, and the Governor of the Tower of London, Major-General G. H. Mills.

included a fine rococo soup tureen and cover of 1770 by

Honoré Burel of Aix at 218,000

and watches ran into some

difficulties with the more important lots. The sale totalled £149,657, but 38 per cent was left unsold. A George III

mahogany longcase regulator by

John Shelton was unsold at

the clocks, with a Swiss gold

hunter-cased minute-repeating

keyless lever perpetual calendar watch at £8,640 (estimate £7,000-£10,000) selling to an

The watches sold better than

francs (£18,457).

£24,000.

TA&VR Association for the Low lands of Scotland
The Lord Lieutenant and Lord
Provost for the City of Edinburgh, Mr Tom Morgan, was present at a dinner given by the Lowland TA&VR Association at the Howard Hotel. Edinburgh, last night to mark the retirement of Colonel Bryce the retirement of Colonel Bryce Knox as president of the association and Brigadier Nigel Stisted as Commander, 52nd Lowland Bigade. The GOC Army Scotland, Lieutenant-General Sir Alexander Boswell, and the Commander, 52nd Lowland Brigade, Brigadier Peter Stevenson, were present, Lieutenant-Colonel William Swan, president of the association, presided.

OBITUARY

MR JOHN ALDRIDGE

Painter and illustrator

He died as he would have wished: at home in Great Bardfield, in the house that for half a century had meant so much to him, and within security of both his garden and the by the National Portical of both his garden and the by the National Portical Countryside of Essex which, lery, the Royal Academy of countryside of Essex which, lery, the Royal Academy of Countryside of Essex which, lery, the Royal Academy of Works, the Italian much to him, and within sight spring of his inspiration, since he first went exploring that way on his bicycle in the early 1930s.

The son of Major John Barrelou Aldridge, DSO, RHA, and of Margaret Jessica. (nee Arthur Goddard), John Arthur Malcolm Aldridge was born on July 26, 1905.

Educated at Uppingham School and Corpus Christi College, Oxford, where he was a Classical Scholar, graduating in LitHum, his interest in painting quickly developed in his early twenties, enabling him to have his first one-man show at the Leicester Gallery in 1933, at the age of 28. It was the year that he had moved from Hammersmith to Essex and the work he then exhibited was seen as something of a new flavour in British painting strongly native, but of local character, stark and wiry, sometimes with even a slightly sinister suggestion, as shown by an old house squarely silhouet-ted against the clear Essex sky.

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At the time John Aldridge was one of several young artists, including Eric Ravilious, who after the First World War were after the First World War were discovering the landscape of Essex. Unlike Norfolk and Suffolk, the area was still and valued part-time teacher at the Slade, where from 1949 to artists, although it was perhaps not now so much the landscape that excited them, but the houses and the villages in it. It is especially as a teacher and friend that he will long be remembered by a whole generation of students, many of Great Bardfield in particular.

Aldridge's intuitive skill and his love of buildings and landscape were certainly imhis love of buildings and living and gracious hospitality landscape were certainly important factors in ensuring him Great Bardfield. early recognition as an artist. His first public exhibition of and Five Society, Lasting longer than many such groups - 1920-

Mr John Aldridge, RA, who Ben Nicholson and John Piper, died on May 3 at the age of 77, After further exhibitions at the was a gifted artist, a passionate leicester Gallery in 1936, 1940 and 1947, Aldridge exhibited regularly at the Royal Academy man. from 1948 ouwards, and in more recent years on a number of occasions at the New Grafton

His work has been acquired Ministry of Works, the Italian Ministry of Education, by Aberdeen, Leeds, Manchester. Newport and Northampton, and by the British Council and

the Contemporary Art Society. An accomplished draughtsman John Aldridge did a number of book and other number of book and other illustrations, including those for The Life of the Dead, by Laura Riding (1933) and Adam was a Plaughman by C. Henry Warres (1948). Of particular importance were the illustrations he provided for publication by the Seizin Press, edited by Robert Graves and Laura Riding, whom he and his first wife, Lucie, had first come upon in 1931, in Deya, Mallorca,

In subsequent years he spent much time there painting landscapes and, as Laura Riding thought him "the only eloquent painter", doing portraits of them both. It was there that he did the National Portrait Gallery head of Graves who felt that his friend, as a landscape painter, was the right person to take on so formidable a task.

Although he never went to an ation of students, many of whom recall with nostalgia the lasting impression of civilised

John Aldridge was married twice: first, in 1940, to Celia Lucie Leeds Brown (ace Saund-His first public exhibition of work was as a member (from twice: first, in 1940, work was as a member (from Lucie Leeds Brown (nee Saund-1931-34) of that informal Lucie Leeds Brown (nee Saund-association of artists, the Seven ers). The marriage was dissolved in 1970, and in the same he married Margareta year he married Margareta (Greti) Anna Maria Cameron 35 - it included among its (Gretl) Anna Maria Cameron members Winified Baker (nec Bajardi) She died earlier (Nicholson), Ivon Hitchens, this year. There were no David Jones, Cedric Morris, children by either marriage.

DR VICTOR NORTON

At Christie's yesterday a sale of scientific instruments, clocks Dr. Victor Norton, for 27 was followed by fierce political years editor of the Cape Times controversy in which the Cape till his retirement in 1971, died in Cape Town on May 4. He was 76.

Was redicted by the Cape Times controversy in which the Cape till his retirement in 1971, died Times figured prominently. Under his direction the newspaper fiercely attacked meas-

Norton was known for his ures such as the Group Areas

pungent political commentary. Act, which it regarded as for his courage and his sense of negative and destructive of justice. His tenure of office, human dignity.
which began in 1944, spanned a An honorary challenging period in South Literature was conterred on turn Africa. The emergence of a by Rhodes University, Gra-

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nationalist government in 1948 hamstown, in 1973.

DR ANTON BUTTIGEIG

the Malta Labour Party.

Born in Gozo on February

Born in Gozo on February

19, 1912 Buttigeig embraced the law and qualified as a Notary

Public before the war. He was a Maltese halks. law reporter and leader writer on the Times of Malta from 1944 to 1948 subsequently edited the Labour Party news-He was elected to Parliament Lieutenant of Sutherland in 1956 and was Minister of 1946. Justice and Parliamentary Affairs from 1971 to 1976 as well as being Deputy Prime Minister from 1971 to 1974.

A poet from his teens Lieute Buttigeig published numerous 1950-7 volumes of verse from the end 1974.

Dr Anton Buttigeig, who died of the war onwards, beginning on May 5 at the age of 71, was with the tyric Mill-Gallerija to President of Malta from 1976 to Zghoziti (From the Balcony of 1981. A prolific poet and my Youth) in 1945. But though journalist, he had also been always describing himself as a Deputy Prime Minister, and "Wordsworthian" he also pubresident and Deputy Leader of lished volumes of comic verse.

He was three times married.

Lientenant-Colonel Douglas paper The Voice of Malta, from 1959, during which period he was fined for libelling the editor of the Times of Malta, in 1962.

Graham Monerieff of Kinmonth, MC, who died on May I at the age of 89, became JP for Perthshire in 1933 and Deputy

> Brigadier Thomas Sheffield, CBE, who has died in Middlesbrough, was depur Licutement of County Durban 1950-74 and of Cleveland in

Birthdays today Sir John Arnold, 68; Air Chief Marshal Sir Walter Dawson, 81; Sir John Elliot, 85; Mr R. Fell, 62; Mr Stewart Granger, 70; Major-General J. Hamilton-Jones, 57; Sir Ronald Harris, 70; the Rev A. H. Hawkins, 100; Mr K. G. Holden, 73; Sir Patrick Meaney, 58; Mr Alan Ross, 61; the Right Rev John Taylor, 54; Mr Orson Welles, 68.

Memorial service

Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Lanyley A memorial service for Lieuten

Colonel J. M. Langley was held yesterday in the Guards Chapel, Wellington Barracks. The Rev J. S.

Westmuckett officiated, assisted by



My activity as Music Director of the Philharmonia Orchestra has enabled me to know and appreciate the high professional standard and enthusiastic dedication with which the British musicians approach their work, a work which provides cultural enrichment and spiritual wellbeing for others that no price can pay. We can thank them by making certain that those whose professional artistic life has ended through illness or accident continue to live in dignity and serenity. Our help can ensure that their sacrifices do not receive misery and hardship as their only prize.

> RICCARDO MUTI Please send a donation large or small. Philip Cranmer Chairman MUSICIANS BENEVOLENT FUND,

16 Ogle Street, London W1P 7LG.

St Christopher's School, Hampstead St Christopher's School, Hamp stead, is celebration its centenar this year. To mark the occasion there will be a garden party in July for past pupils. Requests for invitations should be addressed to the School Secretary, St Christopher's School, 32, Belsize Lane,

Merchant Taylors School, Northwood

OMT Day is on Saturday, June 18, 1983, and also the fiftieth anniversary reception, "Manor of the Rose". Details are available from OMT Society, Durrants, Croxley Green, Rickmansworth, Hertford-

St Bees School

The following events will take place to celebrate the quartercentenary of the foundation of St Bees School. On Monday, May 30, there will be a fete pageant and flower festival. reite pageant and nower testival.

Princess Anne will make a visit on
Tucsday, June 28, when she will
officially open Lonsdale, the
school's second house for girls. At
Speech Day on Saturday, July 9, the
meacher will be the Bishop of
Carlisle and the guest of honour ar
prize-giving will be Lord Schon. The
Quartercentenary Ball is on Friday,
Sentember?

University news

Oxford

Polish theme for Proms with 'bright future'

By Christopher Warman, Arts Correspondent The 1983 season of promen-ade concerts at the Albert Hall, season. That represented an in London, presented by the increase in attendance of 2 per

Controller, Music, announced

yesterday.

He said at the launching of the programme for Proms 83, the eighty-ninth season of the Henry Wood Promenade Concerts, that the agreement on the increased budget by the board of governors reflected the BBC's concern to maintain the highest possible standards and the richest possible range of music in the proms".

Last year the concerts played much contemporary music to 71 per cent of capacity at the might keep people away, Mr. been introduced for the last most loyal supporters. Albert Hall, attracting about Ponsonby agreed that they night on September 17, because

Figg. Mr Degal Nisbet-Smith, a former Mr Degal Nisbet-Smith, a former

Latest appointments include:

Latest appointments | Latest wills

Mr Nicholas Bairington to be Ambassador to the Lebanese Mr William Thomas Clothier, of Republic in succession to Sir David Hungerford, a farmer, left estate

Mr Alan Goodison to be Latest estates include (net, before Ambassador to the Republic of tax paid):
Breasington, Mr Raymond, of

BBC, has been given a budget of cent over the previous year, more than £1m, an increase of when other concert halls were £100,000 over last year. Mr losing up to 10 per cent of their Robert. Ponsonby, the BBC's audiences. "The future of the Proms is

bright despite the financial climate", Mr Ponsonby said. "We believe that one of the reasons for this support is that living, including several first. The usual ballot for last night we have steadily pursued a performances, but it has been tickets has been replaced by a policy which insists on novelty

Answering criticism that too and six by Brahms.

Farmer's £1 m estate

vained at £1,001,728 net.

could increase the attendance at of increasing fears that the the Albert Hall to 95 per cent atmosphere is being spoilt by a with popular programmes. "But few over-exuberant members of the boing they would be, and that policy would kill off the Proms in a few years."

of increasing fears that the two over-exuberant members of the audience.

"It seemed that those concerned had missed the point of that policy would kill off the Proms in a few years."

For this year the theme is what is essentially a musical Polish, after the French flavour occasion, the edebration of a

last year. There will also be great concert series concluded, works by more than twenty and not an extra-musical British composers, half of them jamboree", Mr Ponsonby said, living, including several first. The usual ballot for last night achieved, in Mr Ponsonby's scheme in which people can words, without significant loss apply for tickets for the last as a vital ingredient of the words, without significant loss apply for tickets for the last programme building. Our public likes to be challenged by new accepted masterpleces.

There are five works by Bach, during the Proms season, in responds positively, he said.

14 by Beethoven, 13 by Mozart order to ensure that the final 14 by Beethoven, 13 by Mozart order to ensure that the final

concert is attended by regular A new booking system has concert goers and the Proms' Concert details, page 13

Doward Dorrs, of Blundellsands Tree to mark site

Gersa, Mr John Cario, of Hale, Of Lawrence crash Greater Manchester. F331-407. A tree is to be planted North Yorkshire. F264,336 Bovington Camp, Dorset, 1 A free is to be planted at North Yorkshire £264,336 Bovington Camp, Dorset, next Scott, Mrs Laura innes, of Fixing to mark the spot where T. K. Ermington Devon £196,075 Lawrence, "Lawrence of Arabia", Smith, Mr John Edward, of Stratford-on-Avon £725,569 1935.

The oak is being planted by Mr Tom Reaumont, from Luton, Bedfordshire, who was Lawrence's machine-gunner during the fighting £30 7,943 Wesley, Mr William, of Stoke in Arabia during the First £218,670 War.

the Rev Bruce Lyons (chaplain. RAF Escaping Society). Mr Christopher Langley (son) read the lesson and Licutenant-Colonel C. P. Dawnay gave an address. Dawnay gave an address.

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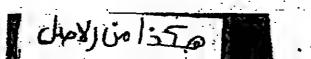
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THE ARTS

Television

Parody clichés

Alter Image (Channel 4) is, on the model of Off-Broadway, off-television: odd little items which you have to make an effort to see, a combination of 'access television" and a polytechnic course. Last night's episode was a haphazard and somewhay desultory affair, in which the young presenters adopted a disdainful attitude to the medium they were using. For most of them, of course, "the box" has been just that - a piece of wooden family furniture which because once they worshipped it they now profess to despise; they like to kick it as hard as possible but they also want to stand upon it, or

In the first sketch, four performers parodied the usual gestural cliches of television presenters: they got them just about right, and were amusing as a result. The generation who were nourished on the pap of television have, of course, assimilated visual techniques in an instinctive or unconscious fashion, and it was perhaps significant, for those who are interested in recent social history, that all of the items in this short programme were devoted either to parodying televisual cliches or to concentrating upon those who manipulate the visual images of our

There was a mercifully brief Tommy Roberts, who turns chairs and kitchen units into the stuff of dreams or nightmares, and a report by Andrew Logan on Zandra Rhodes; a case of the colour-blind leading the colour-

The strength of the programme lies in its visual tricks, although sometimes they resemble a pogrom in Disneybeneath them. The last item in the programme was called "Maasai", with sounds by "Global Rain Music." I suspect that we were meant to identify the black dancers with African warriors but, in their orange and pink vestments, they looked more like refugees from Hot Gossip - O-level anthropolgy doing a turn on Ham-pstead Heath. There is a great deal to be said for an "alterna-

sense of purpose, his extremes mic impetus and vitality of of temperament, even a modest spirit, scrious in character, amount of charm, were among the qualities celebrated in the

first concert on Wednesday of a ven a thoughtful affection, as

Lindsay Quartet

Beethoven series by the Lindsay

Quartet Manchester Univer-sity's "Quartet in Residence".

The rest of the Beethoven cycle

follows in five further programmes at the Wigmore Half,

on three Saturdays and two Wednesdays, this month and

their intention that Peter Cropper, the first violinist, and

his colleagues signalled by

launching themselves into the midst of Beethoven's quartet

writing with what the composer

There is no reason on earth why

one should not leave a concert of mainstream Haydn, Mozart

and Schubert with nerves tingling feeling as reinvigorated as if one had heard the most

imaginative and challenging of new twentieth-century works.

new twentieth-century works.
The only sign of any such stimulus in the torpid air of Wednesday night's concert was the sporadic tapping of finger and foot to the sturdy and comforting beat which Harry Blech and the London Mozart Blech and the London Mozart

Players doggedly uncovered

through the often teasing

rhythmic invention of the three

The mellowness and wisdom

LMP/Blech

Festival Hall

Perhaps it was the scale of

Wigmore Hall

Beethoven's ongl

Perilous greed in British euphoria

Educating Rita (15) Classic Haymarket;

Warner West End

Eureka (18) Screen on the Hill

the kind of budget that is normal in continental European production and is much less inhibiting to creative work than the old inflated Hollywood scale of activity. As a result of this discovery, more British directors have been able to make feature films in the last 18. months than in any comparable

period in the past.

industry teaches us that the only thing that has consistently proved more dangerous than failure is success. Britain has had its chances before - in the mid-Thirties, the late Forties, the early Sixties. Every time euphoria set the industry leaping, and always in the wrong directions. Instead of analyzing phenomena and rationalizing strategies, the St British cinema has always to looked for instant formulas and

magical clixirs.

The most primitive reaction to success is imitation; and it is a dispiriting prospect that investors are likely for the next year or so to favour hagiogra-phies of world leaders and sagas of adversity and triumph on the sports field. Then there is the

Concerts

These players accord Beetho-

well as lively respect, treating the quartets not as museum music, for all their foundation

strength to the classical reper-

tory, but as a very present experience for us to share. The way they made the finale of Op 95 kick up its heels in sheer exuberance, for instance, or allowed the firster F. major

allowed the faster F major interlude to disrupt the Adagio

No 2, reflected a welcome

The latter quartet was a

and the outer movements,

rather bullish urgency the tempi were able to afford. The slow

movement's variations, like-

wise, were cultivated enough, but charmless in the dampened

Sinfonia Concernante, K. 364, in

On to Mozart and his E flat

inner life of their phrasing.

freshness of thought.

called his "Quartetto serioso", notably well chosen contrast to enjoyed.

3 performances only: May 18, 20 and 24 at 7.30pm.

Op 95 in F minor. "To me, this the first they played, reinforcing piece epitomizes Beethoven", some consistent qualities of

vindictive when their magicians do not bring rain every time; we must not forget what happened in turn, to Alexander Korda and

The new rain-makers will be Sir Richard Attenborough and David Puttham; and from now British films have never looked forgiving. It is a stapid and in better shape Gandhi, having unfair burden to put upon curried off even more Oscars them. David Putnam is a than did Chariots of Fire last producer of flair and courage year, stands second in this who has a dual ambition to week's Variety chart of top grow make successful films and to sing films, with Monty Python's make good films. It is in the The Meening of Life close nature of that ambition that he behind, at sixth, and Local Hero has had failures, will have failures and must have failures. behind, at sixth, and Local Mero has had must have failures, will have failures and must have failures production programme has The only way to avoid failure is introduced a new senge of to anempt nothing, to play make continuity into British cinema and playing safe has never made and and new attitudes to film good cinema or good art of any finance. The Channel 4 enter-other kind. We should not prise has demonstrated that forget that the all-time boxprise has demonstrated that forget that the all-time box-films can be made in Britain on office flops include Intolerance, the kind of budget that is The Battleship Potemkin, Greed, A Woman of Paris, La Regle du jeu and Citizen Kane.

> the most perilous delirium that affects our industry and its euphoria. The lessons of Chariots of Fire and Gandhi, spots winners when the race is over. This kind of advice leaves commercial potential of these two films was so far from apparent that it took Attenborough 20 years to find the money for Gandhi, while David Puttnam had to go abroad to find backing for Chariots of

Greed for success is indeed

success syndrome is the rejec-tion of old friends. The National Film Finance Corporation - the one small token of official support for film production in this country - has lately come in for some knocking, for instance. It is singularly mistimed. The NFFC's record of imaginative

tic quality of the Ruggieri cello, played by Bernard Gregor-Smith.



Latter-day Eliza's first encounter with the professor: Michael Caine and Julie Walters in Educating Rita

ought to be looking for ways to

There has seemed, indeed, almost a conspiracy to under-play the NFFC's successes. Most reviewers of James Scott's

A Shocking Accident, which
won the Oscar for the best short film of the year, neglected to mention that it was an NFFC production. The favourite charges against the NFFC are that it finances films which are alities and financially appreciate elitist and financially unprofit-able. Neither charge seems appropriate to Gregory's Girl, which must be yielding back the corporation's investment tenfold. In any case it is very questionable whether the NFFC should be investing with an eye to profit. An obviously commercial project (if there were any such animal) ought to find ready private investment.

The NFFC should be permitted to see its brief as investment in ideas or talent that -precisely because they are new, innovative and untried investment has never been cannot readily get commercial better; but the knocking could investment elsewhere. The create a climate to encourage corporation should have been deal to be said for an "anternative" image on British television, but it is important to make the alternative interesting.

Peter Ackroyd

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by everyone else including the 1981 they earned £31m over-British Film Institute Pro-duction Board, would not have figures will be considerably existed without the NFFC and

Scottish Television.

The charge of elitism may, of course, apply to Babylon, which required subtiles to translate the English spoken in a South London community. Babylon is historically one of the corpor-ation's most important films. for the accuracy with which it defined a troubled area of contemporary British society. If the Home Secretary and his Chief Constables had seen it in May 1980, they would have been much better prepared and briefed for the city riots of the summer that followed. Unfortunately MPs - in this

country at least - do not seem to go to the cinema. This is why the notion that films should receive official support, just like the opera, the theatre, the ballbearing industry or the railways, never elicits a favourable official response. Official sub-vention to the French cinema now amounts to £55m and to the German cinema £23m. The British film industry benefits from £4m from the Eady levy. Even as a trade asset films are surely worth more than this. In

better. The potential value of cinema as a cultural asset is more important, though, and

Educating Ritz is an efficient and good-hearted commercial film, with a script developed out of his own stage success by Willy Russell. It is essentially a variation of Shaw's Pygmalion: Rita is the 1980s' Eliza Doolittle, concerned to improve not her elocution but her mind. Her Higgins is her Open University tutor, a boozy and disappointed poet and English lecturer. Behind the laughs, it is a good deal bleaker than Shaw. Rita wins through, but Willy Russell clearly remains pessimistic about the possibilities of social mobility; and only a workingclass writer would have nerve enough to show the working class as so cruelly limited in education and ambition.

The scenes of Rita's home life are newly written for the screen. The play was a duologue in the tutor's room; and these scenes remain the strongest in the script. They are expertly played by Michael Caine and Julie Walters, who looks like Lillian Harvey, has a thick Merseyside accent and delicately juggles comedy and pathos. Shot in Dublin, it is resourcefully directed by Lewis Gilbert, one of the great troupers of British

a script by Paul Mayersberg, is bizarre. It is film buff's nightmare, a crazy quilt of scenes and lines from films remembered from long ago - and not very good ones at that, though there is the crystal snowball from Citizen Kane. The plot itself rushes bewilderly through The Gold Rush, The Sword in the Stone, Clitzen Kane, Caught and Friday the Thirteenth (Parts I, II and III) and ends rather tamely as Witness for the Prosecution. The dialogue pro-vides some diversion. "I took a bath today", says a dusky siren of the wilderness. "Perhaps because of you. It's been a long time." Serious actors like Gene Hackman, Theresa Russell, Rutger Hauer and Corin Red-

grave have somehow landed in this miscalculated and humourless farrago. But everyone must be forgiven failure once in a

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Proms 83

Polish on

83, the eighty-ninth season of Henry Wood Promenade Concerts, to be presented by the BBC from July 22 to September 17. Lutoslawski, Panufnik and Penderecki will all conduct their own music, and the Polish flavour is completed by Chopin, Tadeuz Beird and Szymanowsci, whose Third Symphony rather daringly takes its place along with traditional British works on the last night of the

Proms.

Penderecki will be conducting the BBC Symphony Orchestra in a performance of his St.

Luke Passion on July 31, while Lutoslawski conducts two works, including his Cello Concerto, with the soloist Roman Jablonski, with the same orchestra on August 30.

Panufnik and the BBC Symphony Orchestra will play his phony Orchestra will play his Sinfonia Vothu, which cel-ebrates the icon of the Black Madonna of Crestochowa, a symbol of independent Poland, on September 14.

The 57 concerts which make the Proms the biggest music festival in the world include a strong representation of modern, particularly British, works. The world première of Peter Maxwell Davies's Sinfonia Concertante takes place on August 12, with Neville Marriner conducting the Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, and works by Elizabeth Maconchy, Dominic Muldowney and Robert Saxton. Triple Duo, by the American composer Elliott Carter, commissioned by the BBC, receives its first European performance, by the Fires of London, on August 7.

The season opens with a programme of works by Beethoven (Mass in C major), Wagne and Berlioz, with the BBC Symphony Orchestra under its chief conductor, Sir John Pritchard, while Norman Del Mar is awarded the distinction of conducting the last night.

Only once during the season does a Prom venture outside the Royal Albert Hall, and for the first time St Luke's Church. Chelsea, is being used, for a performance of English Renaissance music by the Julian Bream Consort.

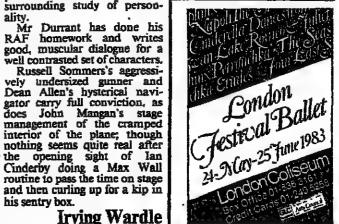
Visiting orchestras include the Concertgebouw conducted by Bernard Haitink and the Israel Philharmonic under its music director Zubin Mehta, each of which gives two concerts in September. Following the Polish thread, the Polish Chamber Orchestra will play on August 26 - not Polish music but a programme of Handel and Bach.

Those booking for September i snouid lake care. Prom 43 has the Concertgebouw Orchestra, but Prom 44 starts at 11 pm the same evening and is an all-night programme of music from India, following a successful similar venture in 1981.

Operatic performances include a visit from the Glyndebourne company with Rossini's La cenerentola on August 11 in a "semi-staged" version. Rameau's Hippohyte et Aricie also receives a "semi-staged" production, from the Monteverdi Choir and the English Baroque Soloists conducted by John Eliot Gardiner on August 6; and on September 6 the London Sinfonietta mounts a staged performance of Stravinsky s one-act opera Mayra.

A special concert in tribute to the late Sir William Walton will be given on August 16 with the BBC Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir John Prit-

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Myth fed back into personal experience

Mr Cropper wrote in a pro-gramme note, and demon-strated what he meant by prominence given to the inner leading a performance propelled parts; a certain heaviness of tonation, and a rich sonority of ensemble built from the majes-West

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Steven Berkoff is the ione warrior of the All these elements and more British stage. As an actor, director and playwright he comes on armour-plated were combined in a splendidly wide-ranging account of the first "Rasumovsky" Quartet (Op 59 No 1, in F). The style of the with technique, challenging a hostile public to fault his work a man expecting to be given nothing except what he wins by opening movement had an impressive breadth of sensifeats of valour, and exorcizing some personal demon in a career of everbility as between each of the expanding conquest.

At first glance, his new play seems to contradict this pattern by returning to the character, and the Scherzo was interlude to disrupt the Adagio informed by an awareness of its cantabile movement of Op 18 novelty. Beethoven's own "Wilterritory he annexed eight years ago in East. Substitute Stamford Hill and low song" in the slow move-ment had sentiment, without Hoxton for the Whitechapel Road, and it is the same horror-comic world of street indulgence, and the overall achievement was much to be gangs, reintroducing the same characters and serving up the same witch's brew of cockney verbal aggro and Shakespearian Noël Goodwin burlesque.

Mick, the gang-leader, returns as protagonist along with his sex-object girlfriend and defeated, television-drugged parents. Sex and razor fights amount to much the same thing for these violently stunted urban prisoners to whom even the sun rises "like a biscuit behind the glue factory".

Since the earlier play, though, Berkoff has been exploring classical myth, which he has now fed back into the world of personal experience. The new piece still crupts with the huge rages and desires of drean iantasy, but they are disciplined by legend; and the sense of burlesque gradually gives way to that of heroic fable.

West tells the story of Mick's showdown with an enemy gang-leader (the Hoxton Fiend) and with his parents. He begins tiving at home, supported by his gang; he ends alone and destitute, baying defiance at the unheroic spectators. That last sting in the tail has been well prepared. Mick goes through a succession of heroic

prototypes, as Richard III. Childe Roland and Beowolf, and thanks to these masks he can acknowledge his vulnerability. It is beyond the bounds of any Berkoff character to express affection, but at least Mick can admit to fear and loneliness, speak with pity for neglected children, and drop his shield of rhetoric when facing his father for the last time.

Berkoff's production is inseperable from the text, projecting it through highly-drilled expressionist pantomime images to percussion accompaniment. A blank-faced chorus snap into precise life as dance-floor robots or drilling bingo players, creating the environment as well as the human figures. The one serious failure is in Mick's anti-climactic action narrative of his duel with the Hoxton Grendel. However, Rory Edwards's broodingly withdrawn Mick emerges as a human figure among the grotesques, giving the lie to the idea that all Berkoff's actors act like Berkoff.

Irving Wardle

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The Brylcreem Boys Young Vic Studio

particularly the finale, needed a as if to compensate, only to be lighter touch, a keener sense of assaulted by an exaggeratedly lighter touch, a keener sense of assaulted by an exaggeratedly the unpredictable to counter-hawkish rising theme. And so it balance the symmetry, than the was all the way through the rather bullish urgency the temps work a ragged rhetoric on the were able to afford. The slow part of the soloists, which at nimes verged on caricature, would pull against sluggish orchestral playing with the result that the work's just and finely judged proportions were Feet were stuck even deeper

which Norbert Brainin and in the mud in Schubert's Peter Schidlof stepped out of Symphony No 3 after the the Amadeus Quartet to be the interval. The general opaque evening's violin and viola ness of texture was relieved solos. which Norbert Brainin and Peter Schidlof stepped out of the Amadeus Quartet to be the evening's violin and viola soloists. They got on well enough, as they should, but frequently more in the spirit of a duel rather than a duel, bows flashing like rapiers in an unusually pugnacious performance.

In the mud in Schubert's Symphony No 3 after the interval. The general opaqueness of texture was relieved only by some delightful obee solos, while the second movement hobbled along where it should have skipped, lacking at times even the energy to raise its foot cleanly onto the first step.

all but distorted.

If there at first appeared to be

string ensemble. But Haydn's more crude might than majesty eye still twinkled in his sixties, in the opening, the second idea and the outer movements, slowed down almost intolerably

Peter Durrant's study of a flak-shocked RAF bomber crew went down well enough on television in 1979 for the BBC to repeat it two years later, but now that Marylebone Theatre Productions are launching the play on a fresh lease of life it is a pity that the author has not cleared up some glaring struc-tural faults that disfigure a basically good idea.

The Brylcreem Boys takes place in a 1944 RAF hospital ward occupied by a group of damaged flyers who are suffering from the delusion that they

pped, lacking at times energy to raise its foot into the first step.

As we first see them, opening in the inmates close ranks against this intruder and picture Post, they look entirely do all they can to give him a normal. Then various oddities hard time. As a result, whatever

begin appearing, one of the boys collapses when his paper aeroplane comes to grief, another finishes a loving letter home by telling his mother to sod off. They go berserk in "Dawn Patrol" games, and rimalisticallower a towel for the Last ost. Then night falls and the hitherto immobile Skipper arises from his catatonic trance to lead them on a near-fatal Nuremberg raid.

Mr Durrant tells this story from the viewpoint of an outsider a young soldier who had gone down with frostbite after falling asleep on guard duty, and whom, for reasons best known to herself, the hospital sister places in the RAF

sympathy you might have for cal wounds they have exhibited Skipper's crew is deflected in the first act the fantasy has towards their victim. The precious little to do with the surrounding study of personfantasy raid is equally mismanaged. It is unclear whether the ality.
others are playing along for Mr Durrant has done his
their beloved leader's benefit or RAF homework and writes

engaging in a shared act of auto-good, muscular dialogue for a therapy. Nor is there any well contrasted set of characters. Russell Sommers's aggressisuggestion of whether it does Skipper any good, or is merely a vely undersized gunner and folie à six fantasy they engage in from time to time.

Skipper any good, or is merely a vely undersized gunner and folie à six fantasy they engage in gator carry full conviction, as from time to time. does John Mangan's stage management of the cramped interior of the plane; though Once the crew have built their bomber out of beds and swivel chairs and taken off, nothing seems quite real after their clinical personalities disthe opening sight of lan appear, thus inviting the spec-Cinderby doing a Max Wall routine to pass the time on stage tator to join in the simple excitement of a group of boys playing aeroplanes; and as none of the calamities of the flight

his sentry box. Irving Wardle

of age was there, and rightly so, in Hayda's Symphony No 97. with some warm, well-knit at the Royal Opera House - an exciting triple bill Roya. Massing's La Boutique fantasque Bintley's Night Moves "Kenneth MacMillan's sultry, dramatic essay "... equally gripping is his (Binuley's) theatrical "... full of invention and wit, with a good, on the destruction of sexual innocence is an clear story line" The Spage sense which gives the changes of mood . . . a excellent ballet" lames Kennedy, The Guardian dream-like quality" Clement Crop, Francist Times Reservations: 01-240 1066/1911. Access/Visa welcome



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Bowater Corp. one of the world's largest paper manufac-turers, was the toast of the stock market yesterday at the shares shook off recent gloom to end to

tance of the year's low of 150p. the buyers returned in force amid rumours of a bid from the United States and hopes of a big rise in the price of newsprint

whether the co for a re-rating.

The surge is

Last night, the company was quick to dispel rumours of a bid. "There is no truth in it whatsoever", said Mr Dennis Rees at Bowaler. Seagrams, the world's biggest distillers, also denied it in New York that was interested in making a bid.

rest of them". Mr Rees added. On full production, Bowater

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MARKET REPORT 9 by Michael Clark

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But Bowater did admit that it was ready to follow the lead of America's big two newsprint producers Kimberley Clark and Consolidated Bathurst, which have raised their prices from \$468 a tonne to \$500 a tonne. We will be in there with the

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the foreign exchange. But amounting to 24.2 per cent of newsprint a year and last year more than 80 per cent of preax profits were earned in the United States. Last night, analysts were running their slide rules over Bowater to asses whether the company was due for a re-rating.

The surge in the Bowater cants had been alloued in full at the mark in Thomas Tilling yesterday after the thumbs-up from the OFT on BTR's £500m bid. But dealers are discounting the prospect of a counter bid from across the water and reckon the arbitragers can make more than enough by just dealing in the shares.

The foreign exchange. But amounting to 24.2 per cent of the new yesterday's tender for the new tysterday index-time week bought a 30 per cent stake in Baynes, Britain's biggest in Baynes as he did at St Georges. Baynes as he did at St Georges and ba a manufacturers, and baynes are being the send that only about the each same being the cants had been alloued in full at form the foreign exchange. the

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Mr Peter Dellar, former

price was mainly responsible for the rise in the FT Index, which ended the day 5.2 up at 695.0 Gilts recovered from a hesitant start replacing falls of £1/4 with rises of a similar chairman of St Georges Launamount, despite the pound's loss of 0.1 cent to \$1,5790 on

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recieved 3p. Prospects for the first quarter were described as

encouraging.
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Among the Australian min-

Among the Australian mining shares, Samauthan rose 2 cents to 80 cents after a visit to London by Mr David Muller, Chairman to meet City insti-tutions. Mr Muller said Saman-tha had discovered encouraging prospects in Kalgoorlie, West-ern Australia. Samantha and its associate Samson own around

70 per cent of the venture.

Shares of the hotel giant Trusthouse Forte fell 3p to 182p on yesterday's report in The Times from America that it was embarking on a massive expan-sion programme, including the opening of 14 new hotel; THF denied the report

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STOCK EXCHANGES

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Bargains: 24,240 Tring Hall USM Index: 170.9 down 0.7

Tokyo: Closed Hongkong: Hang Seng Index 987.29 up 0.65 New York: Dow Jones Average latest 1215.27 up 2.62

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Back Thatcher. business urged

Business should give firm backing for Mrs Thatcher in her policies, in the next general election, Mr Walter Goldsmith, director-general of the Institute of Directors, said yesterday. He was scathing of the alternatives offered by Labour and the SDP/Liberal Alliance.

Mrs Thatcher has broken the mould of British politics by having the courage and tenacity to face the economic crisis which politicians have shirked for decades - to face it and to beat it.

"At one time it was thought that businessmen would flock to the banner of the SDP/Liberal Alliance. Today it is clear that has not happened," he told the institute's Eastern branch at Peterborough.

AGENCY OFFER: The tender offer for sale of shares in Boasse Massimi Pollitt, the advertising agency, was over-subscribed 2.1 times at the striking price of 315p a share. Morgan Grenfell, merchant bankers, said yesterday.

GRANT AID: Grants totalling £238,000, equally funded by the EEC Commission and the Department of Industry, are being made towards the cost of is planned for Corby, Nor- activity forecast by the thamptonshire.

would ease with just a small annual general meeting vester-increase in trade, Sir Campbell day that the companies hoped to announce development plans said yesterday. "Free and fair shortly. The decision to go trade" within and without ahead would be "a direct result" of the North Sea fax conwas the best bet, he said.

BREW UP: Beer production in March was 3.1bn bulk barrels, a 1.7 per cent increase on the same month last year, said the Brewers Society.

Wall St mixed as blue chips fall

New York (Reuter) - Stock prices turned mixed yesterday, with blue chip prices turning

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 1.35 points at 1211.30 after reaching 1217.49. Volume was about 12 million shares. The Dow Jones trans-portation index rose 4.68 points to 536.05. On Wednesday the index gained more than 15

The broader market continued to improve, however, with advancing issues outpacing losers by about nine to four. One component of the Dow is Eastman Kodak, which fell 314 to 7614. Kodak has been the volume leader since reporting

disappointing first-quarter pro-fits on Wednesday. Consolidated Edison was the second most active, unchanged

Mr Ralph Acampora, of Kidder Peabody said: "We're going to have a correction one of these days have I days a few parent. In the interest of the of these days, but I don't think subsidiary's depositors, to sup-we are going to get it here."

The verdict on Linfood

Holdings takeover bid for food group, Fitch Loyell, is expected from the Monopolies and Mergers commission next

Lord Cockfield, the Trade

Secretary, will announce whether the bid should be

allowed to proceed and whether Fitch Lovell should be allowed

to go ahead with its contro-versial £35m sale of its Key

Markets supermarket chain to

The early indications are that Lord Cockfield will decide that the Linfood bid for Fitch is not

against the public interest. However, the decision on the sale of the 106 Key Markets stores to Safeway is the more.

If Mr Geoffrey Hankins, chief

conclude the Key Markets deal

bifions by agreeing the sale of Key Markets, a chain of 104

West Gunner butcher shops in the West Country, and the Fitch-poultry business for more than

In future Fitch will concen-

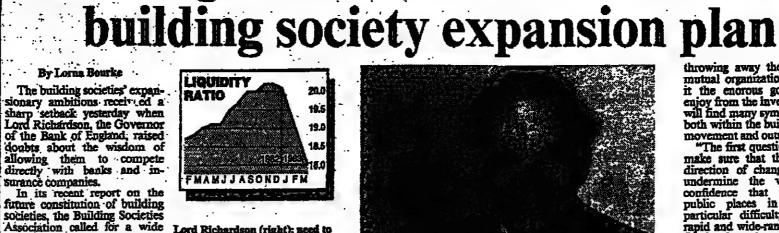
trate on food manufacture, specialist foods and frozen food

distribution.

The deals all depend on

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Thursday,



Lord Richardson (right): need to retain public goodwill

more fully than is to call yourselves building d by the law of limited societies and to retain the public goodwill now attaching to that required by the law of limited liability. some of the reforms, Lord Richardson was sceptical about

"No parent which itself took deposits and depended upon a creditworthy name could expect to walk away from a subsidiary in trouble without risking a loss. of confidence on the part of its own depositors", he said.
"There must clearly be limits

not surprising that as specialists in the field societies should wish to innovate in this way and to what any of you can do, especially in the diversification of your assets, while continuing provided that any risks in-volved are fully appreciated, it would seem appropriate for



present legislative curbs in this area to be relaxed".

He also said that it was ame", he told delegates at the important for the Societies to be BSA conference yesterday. Earlier, Lord Richardson had able to compete for deposits and that the restrictions on given the societies considerable insecured lending were un-necessarily hampering the societies expansion. "Legislatencouragement for their pro-posals in housing finance. "It is ive change allowing societies some flexibility would seem appropriate," he said

it the encrous goodwill they enjoy from the investing public, will find many sympathetic ears both within the building society movement and outside

"The first question is how to make sure that the pace and direction of change does no undermine the very special confidence that the general public places in you. The particular difficulty is that a rapid and wide-ranging diversi-fication by only a few societies could affect the public image of the whole movement", he said. Lord Richardson's comments

come after a warning this week from Mr Alan Cumming, chairman of the Building Societies Association, that home loan rates may have to rise soon, if bank base rates do not come down.

And the latest edition of the BSA bulletin reveals how hard pressed the societies are, with appropriate," he said liquidity falling from its Decem-His message to the societies. ber high of 20.1 per cent to 18 that they should be wary of per cent by the end of March.

Linfood bid Exco in £9m unit trust deal verdict By Jonathan Clare next week

Investment Management, the The issue of 1.6 million new unit trust group, in a £9.4m deal Exco shares will increase British with British & Commonwealth & Commonwealth's stake in the

By Lorna Bourke

range of new powers - most notably the freedom to set up or

acquire banks, insurance and

finance companies.

While accepting the need for

"Acquisition of such subsidi-

aries would carry wider- impli-

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the more radical proposals.

surance companies.

50.1 per cent stake it is taking in per cent.
GIM, but British & Common-But GIM but British & Common-But British & Common-wealth will retain a 49.9 per wealth's stake in Telerate, the

Exco International the inter-company formed by Cayzer, national moneybroker has Gartmore and managed by taken control of Gartmore GIM.

international Exco will pay in shares for the from about 16 per cent to 18.3

cent holding through its Cayzer, financial information service, Gartmore subsidiary. where Exco also has a large The deal also includes a 42.5 controlling stake, held by GIM, per cent stake to be taken by will be transferred to Cayzer, Exco in a new venture capital Gartmore with some other

investments before the deal goes through. GIM controls investment

trusts and other investment schemes with total funds of more than £1,200m. Last year, it made profits of £1.8m and it has net assets worth about £4.4m

Mr John Gunn, Exco's managing director, said GIM intends to enter the US market under aggressive management to tap investment funds which are rarely placed outside the

Boom continues at for pension **National Freight** funds

The 10,000 employees and pensioners who took part in Britain's largest management buyout of the National Freight Corporation fourteen months ago have seen their £1 shares more than treble to £3.20.

Linfood is unlikely to pursue its takeover ambitions for what would fundamentally be a food The corporation's board is now recommending a second interim dividend of 5p a share manufacturing, rather than a food retailing group.

When Mr Alee Monk, chairman of Linfood, launched his £87m takeover bid for Fitch last for the 24 weeks to March 19, which brings the total dividends paid on each £1 shares since the buyout to 22p a share. This september a key element in the proposed deal was the proposed deal was the proposed the average holding of 700 workforce at the pre-buyout shares is nearly £1,700 better off level of 24,000.

Gatemany stores chain the £53m buyout of the largest But Mr Hankins since taking hanlage and distribution com-pany in the country was arranged in February 1982. over as chief executive of Fitch Lovell last October has fins-trated Linfood's takeover am-

The corporation's interim per cent higher than it was in Pretax profits for the period. The basis for allocating the stand at £3.9m again shead of new existing shares will be last year, although no corredctermined by the NFC board extraordinary meeting of Fitch ation, said that the second when the shareholders to be held quarter of the year which place.

includes Christmas and New Year holidays, is traditionally the weakest trading period. But, he said, the group is performing ahead of a target which itself is significantly higher than that achieved last year. New contracts have been won

from Whitbread, Carreras, Rothman, and Birds Eye and the 300 redundancies announced over the past six months have been balanced by

shares by about 4 per cent. This follows a one-for-one share split digures show that the share in April which doubled the holding employees have every number of shares in issue to 15 reason to be pleased. Trading million and means that original turnover is running at about 9 shareholders now own two shares worth £1.60p each; the corresponding pre-buyout instead of one of the original period 'last year at £257m. shares valued at £3.20p.

winning Department of Trade Mr James Watson, the allocations will be made on one approval and also on an finance director of the corpor- of the four occasions in the year when trading in the shares takes

Tax victory

By Our Financial Staff The Government will intro-duce legislation to exempt pension funds from tax on ransactions in financial futures

Mr Leon Brittan, Chief Sec-retary to the Treasury, said vesterday. But the success of the pension funds in pressing their case on this issue may lead to arguements from other commodity markets that similar con-

cessions be granted to dealings in their contracts. For the moment, however, level of 24,000.

The board also plans to issue new ruling will be restricted new ruling will be restricted only to pension fund involvement in financial futures.

Assurance Parliamentary the Government is firm that the

Answering a Parliamentary question, Mr Brittan said: "I accept the case for a change in the present law to bring the tax treatment of transactions by pension funds in financial futures into line with that of other pension fund invest

The problem has been that while profits from transactions by funds in the stock market have been tax exempt, the law on financial futures has been unclear. Pension funds have of the four occasions in the year held back from the London International Financial Futures Market (LIFFE).

Jobs threat blocks bid for Johnson

The Monopolies and Mergers could have achieved a 70 per Commission has again saved Johnson Group Cleaners from takeover by banning two poss-ible bids from Sunlight Service Group and Initial.

The commission made its unanimous decision mainly on the grounds of competition but also took into account the likely loss of between 200 and 400

Sketchley made an approach in 1977 to Johnson but dropped its bid when it was referred to the Monopolies Commission. Last year, Sunlight mounted a £35m cash and shares bid for

Johnson, Soon after, Initial, a subsidiary of BET, said it would bid but without revealing formal terms. But the commission decided

that a takeover by either company would give them a much larger market share in an industry which is already dominated by just six firms: Had Initial acquired Johnson, it to 303p on the news

cent market share in certain areas. A successful takeover by Sunlight would have given it dominance in London. The aspect of job losses was

particularly sensititive because they would be concentrated in the hard-pressed Merseyside The commission's worries

centred on the workwear and linen rental sides of the laundry business rather than the dry cleaning side. It says mergers would result in the loss of a potentially strong competitor. Yesterday, Mr John Crockatt, Johnson's

chairman, said the defence against the bids had cost almost £300,000 to the end of December with the final figure likely to be higher. Next week, he will go to the United States to explore possible acquisitions which had to be put off ten months ago.

Johnson's share price fell 30p

City Comment Harrods: war or

peace? If Mr Roland "Tiny" Rowland, a chief executive of Lonrho, is not bored with the continuing battle between his company and House of Fraser, then he must be the only party in the country who is not. But

trek to Glasgow to cast their votes For this morning, share-holders in House of Fraser have to decide whether or not to support Lourho's plan that Harrod's be floated off as a separate

yet again, later today, a score of institutions will

This saga would never have happened had the Monopolies Commission not blocked Lonrho when it tried to bid for the whole House of Fraser group, thus leaving it locked in with a near 30 per cent stake which it could neither increase, nor, House of Fraser being the dismal performer it is, sell at a profit. The whole demerger plan, whatever its merits and they are considerable - came up only because it offered a way for Lonrho to get out of its corner.

Shareholders in the previous rounds have supported the House of Fraser board, but even the most loyal of them have to admit that their loyalty has been rewarded with neither sparkling profits nor sparkling share price.

Today, they ought to question seriously whether this loyalty is in their own best interests, for to vote down the demerger is to vote for a continuation of the war; and that in turn makes it more likely that the lack-lustre performance will continue. So whether they like it or not, the institutional shareholders are as locked in as Lonrho. The way they vote today ought to reflect this reality even if they do not

Woolworth names second top man

By Derek Harris

Commercial Editor The other half of a key twoman executive team whose job will be to turn round the Woolworth stores chain was anounced yesterday - Mr Colin Brown, a 40-year-old Scot who is deputy managing director of Makro Cash and Carry, the United Kingdom subsidiary of Makro Cash and Carry, the play an important role in United Kingdom subsidiary of reviving Woolworth's position one of the world's largest in the high street."

The recruiting of Mr Richard Harker, operations manager of and Mr Brown join Woolworth Holdings board as executive directors and would be in the running for eventual choice of

chief executive. Mr John Beckett, Woolworth Holdings chairman, said yester-MI BIOWE WILL B strengthen our team and will

Various options are being the Asda superstores chain, was final decision on the precise role could tal announced last week. Both he of the two new directors will £100,000.

depend on these considerations and discussions with them, said Mr Beckett.

But there is increasing specu-lation that Mr Brown will run the bigger stores, around 100; while Mr Harker takes on some 850 medium-size and smalle ones. The B & Q DIY chain will remain a separate entity.

Salaries of around £70,000 each are believed to be involved considered for restructuring the in the new appointments but Woolworth stores operation. A performance-related bonuses could take this well over

Freeze on Hunt firms

By Our Financial Staff

20 companies formerly condefendant companies or ser-trolled by missing mannier vants, agents or directors."

Keith Hunt, were made by a Last week, the Official judge yesterday.

Mr Justice Harman, in the High Court, in London also granted applications by the Official Receiver as provisional liquidator of five other Hunt presented companies, for "search and them up seize" orders against all 20 interest."

соптрапісь. The "search and seize" orders at the first hearing to be held in

Wide-ranging court orders, which they have reason to freezing funds, and properties believe are owned, occupied or and securing bank accounts of under the control of the

Receiver was appointed pro-visional lifquidator of five Hunt companies, including Exchange Securities & Commodities, after the Secretary of State for Trade presented petitions to wind them up "in the public

permit solicitors instruced by open court, were similar to the Official Receiver to enter orders granted last week in any premises of the companies private.

Murdoch bids for profit

master company, has bid for all the shares in News Inter-national, the British subsidiary all of whose ordinary shares it special dividend shares.

per cent to 77 per cent.

created during a capital reorga-nization in 1980.

But as the market realized that a full bid for the shares was approval by British and Austra-

lian authorities. The capital reorganization of not entitle it to all dividends.

By Michael Prest

already owns, by offering 225p under way the price rose from for each of the outstanding 176p to touch 235p. The offer

The Times, The Sunday Times, The Sun, and the News of the News International is the World. A move to take over the biggest profit earner controlled remaining special dividend by News Corporation.

-News Corporation Mr shares had been widely expected Rupert Murdoch's Australian since this class of share was

pecial dividend shares. for the remaining 23 per cent in The offer was made yesterday other hands is contingent on after purchases worth £6m in the market had taken News Corporation's holding of the pecial dividend shares from 50 three years ago gave News er cent to 77 per cent. Corporation full voting control News International publishes over News International but did special dividend shares from 50

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Budget changes stimulate North Sea activity

BP go-ahead for Andrew field

By Jonathan Davis, Energy Corresponder British Petroleum and an oil Production System, a specially company consortium led by designed mobile drilling ship Phillips Petroleum, the which will be able to mop up oil American group, have decided from a number of small. to develop the Andrew field, discoveries: .. 120 miles north east of Aber-

Government. the world's economic problems chairman, said at the company's cessions announced in the

Budget in March, he said.

Mr Walters also confirmend that BP intends to go ahead with the development of the South-east Forties field, a SALES RISE. US car sales major North Sea; asset, the However company experts includes ENL Petrofina, Lasmo rose 14.3 per cent last month to Forties field. The company is lave still not decided on a final and Imperial Continental Gas. A unitization agreement separate discovery near BP's

Although South-east Forties

an initial feasibility study for deen. The move provides is one of three North Sea the Disneyland-style theme concrete evidence of the upturn discoveries which have been park called Wonderworld which in North Sea development expected to be developed for some time, the development of Andrew will be seized on by the TRADING CALL: Many of Mr Peter Walters, BP's Government as evidence of the "boom" in offshore activity which ministers have been forecasting since the Budget.

The Andrew field was first discovered in 1974, and with reserves unofficially estimated at 140 million barrels, has always been a "marginal" field. BP said vesterday that the duction abolition of the oil royalty and 1988. the doubling of fax-exempt The field is split between two production, allowance in the North Sea blocks one wholly budget had made it a commer owned by BP and the other by



whether for example to use a or a floating production system. Detailed development plans are unlikely to be submitted and approved much before the end of the year, with first pro-duction impossible before about

hs not yet been agreed. Despite welcoming the Budget changes, Mr Walters made a plea for further changes in the tax system, particularly the high levels of tax on existing fields which are "ring-fenced" and therefore cannot be offset by spending in other parts of the North Sea. These caused "very real problems".

Mr Nigel Lawson, Scoretary of State for Energy, said

yesterday that Britain would maintain informa contacts with wnether for example to use a key Opec ministers, but ruled convetional fixed steel platform out any formal links with the organization. Speaking at the end of a five-day tour of Saudi Arabia, Kiiwait and the United Arab Emirates, Mr Lawson said he was confident oil prices would hold.

TAKEOVER: The oil field equipment manufacturer Burgear International, of Belfast, which was put into receivership on March 31, is to be purchased by the Dolphin Oilfield Supply Company, of Aberdeen, securunitization agreement ing the existing 120 jobs.

The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc

Interim Results 6 months Extracts from the unaudited Profit to 31.3.83 to 31.3.82 to 30.9.82 and Loss Account £30.9m £43,1m £90.5m Profit before taxation Profit after taxation £32.9m £65.1m Profit attributable to ordinary £101.8m shareholders £21.6m £59.9m Earnings per 25p ordinary share before exceptional items 44.1p after exceptional items 9.60 25.3p Dividend per 25p ordinary share 6.7p

NOTES:

1. As a result of accelerated capital aflewances in respect of equipment used in the business and assets leased to customers the charge for taxation has been reduced by £5.7m (6 months ended 31 March 1982 ~ £10 9m, 12 months anded 30 September 1982 ~ £18.3m).

2. The prior accounting periods included credits for exceptional items related to release of part of the provision for deterred taxation in respect of the company and its authorises and an associated company, and in addition in the 8 months ended 30 September 1982 are exceptional credit of £6.6m (12 months ended 30 September 1982 ~ £7.6m) in respect of additional capital allowances releved against profit of the previous year.

3. The above figures for the twelve months ended 30 September 1982 are extracted from the company's full accounts for that period which have been filled with the registrar of companies and on which the auditors gave an unqualified report.

Extract from Interim Statement by the Chairman, Sir Michael Herries Two factors which adversely affected operating profit in the period deserve special mention. Firstly, the charge for bad and doubtful debts at £24.5 million shows an increase of £10.3 million over the same period last year. The increase, which shows a similar pattern in both the constituent banks, reflects the continuing difficulties being

faced by industry and commerce both at home and abroad, The Group has done its utmost to continue to support its customers through recent difficulties where there is seen to be any hope that they could weather the recession. Sadly, many are still finding it impossible to continue to trade. Although recent economic indicators support the view that a recovery may be under way, the U.K. economy remains fragile, and is dependent long-term on a sustained upturn of

the world, and especially the United States, economy. Secondly, Group profit has been affected by the fact that the share of profit from our associated company, Lloyds and Scottish Pic, was only £1.2 million (based on their profit for the half year to 30 September 1982) compared with £6.3 million for

the corresponding period last year. Although average volumes of deposits and advances for the six months to 31 March 1983 were higher than in the same period last year, the trend in our deposit mix away from current accounts to interest bearing deposits has continued, and average base rate fell to 10.2 per cent, from 14.5 per cent. However, the average margin between base rate and retail deposit rate widened to 3.2 per cent. from 2.2 per cent. In the corresponding period last year and, in addition, commission and fee income

has again shown an encouraging increase; but operating costs were inevitably higher.

The Royal Bank of W Williams & Glyn's Scotland plc Bank plc

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to judge between the relative

management abilities of the

Tilling's defence document together with the announce-

ment that the bid is not to be referred, pushed the shares up

warring parties.

By Jeremy Warner Trust Securities £100m bid for Percy Bilton the property company was allowed to lapso vesterday after a tiny acceptance level of only 5,000 shares or under 0.01 per cent of the

Mr Peter Jones, Trust Securities' chairman, yesterday blamed the failure of the bid on the position of some of the Bilton family trustees who account for about 40 per cent of the company's shares.

Mr Jones said: "One trustee in particular refused to meet us or consider our offer which he said would be accepted only over his dead body. This blocked the whole family holding despite the considerable support we got from some other

"Many shareholders did not accept because they were waiting to see which way the family shareholding went." Mr Jones also said that his

bid had been affected by Bilton's attempt to discredit both himself and his company, "Bilton never produced an asset valuation and there are some very serious questions that have to be asked," he said. But a spokesmann for S. G. Warburg Bilton's merchant lean by coming out that most of our major companies advisors, said: "We certainly were not aware that says of the family trustees were any of the family trustees were supported by the same of the family trustees were supported by the same of the family trustees were supported by the same of the family trustees were supported by the same of the sam

BTR bid escapes Monopolies scrutiny ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND unexpected ally in its bid for Thomas Tilling in the shape of the Office of Fair Trading. SHARE PRICE It was on its advice that this enormous conglomerate bid was not referred to the Monopolics and Mergers Commission, seemingly on the ground that the OFT has not been given any firm directions on conglomerate mergers. Also. by implication, it sees no prima

from 189 to 214p yesterday. It is not a straight market battle with "devil take the hindmost" and the present share price is in line with our forecast vesterday that: £60m bid for a British Insitu-tuion goes to the commission, potential would be if BTR pulled while a £600m bid for a sizable out and, with tacit official a, BTR will win in the end and it will end up paying more tuion goes to the commission, than 220p a share. thin the following the state of the commission, while a £600m bid for a sizable For investors directly inchunk of British industry goes volved, that is obviously the free, most important issue at stake.

to question the logic of the ever takeover bid in Britain official policy on mergers. in more general terms, one has able to suggest that the biggest-After lengthy discussion the (or rather the twice-over) by Monopoles Commission has someone who is not directly decided that the UK cleaning involved, if only to set some industry should remain cleaner ground rules about "conglomer-

any of the family trustees were sympathetic to this bid. There is no compulsion on a company to produce an up to date asset aluation."

Just a couple of days ago.

Coming back to Tilling. The only sensible advice that anyone could offer to Tilling share-produce an up to date asset of Trade, overruled the could offer to Tilling share-planting.

OFT recommendation that the holders is to stand firm and wait southern.

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Royal Bank of Scotland Pretax profit £30.9m (£43.1m) Stated earnings 9.6p (14.5p) Net interim dividend 3p (2.8p) Share price 122p, down 15p

followed the hallowed clearing proportion of the sterling base, bank tradition of raising the the group has had to fund a dividend as profits fall. In most higher proportion of its book

disappointing with pretax pro-fits down by 28 per cent to £31m and well below expec-tations.

This alone has squeezed margins and the rise in money market interest rates made

The rise in bad and doubtful matters worse. debt provisions is a main reason for this. The group has allowed £24.5m in the latest half compared with £14.2m in the same period a year ago, and £16.6m in the preceding half.

The increase in provisions has been broadly spread between the Scottish bank and Williams & Glyn's and reflects the continuing problems with corporate customers at home and overseas. The bank does not see much sign of the possesse much sign of the corporate customers at home share considering the lack of growth in net interest income.

Assuming a lower bad debt pressure easing on the corporate sector nor of the much talked of economic recovery.

The poor performance from the associate, Lloyds & Scottish. which contributed only £1.2m compared with £6.3m in the same period a year ago, has also depressed group profits.

However, these factors go only part of the way to explaining the drop in profits, which have been inflated by a £4m profit on property sales and £1.1m of profits on the sale

The group has been hit badly on the domestic side and has suffered from the change in its deposit mix as well as the upsurge in interest rates during

With current account de-Royal Bank of Scotland has posits continuing to decline as a

other respects the results are with funds priced at maket-re- than doubled over the last year.

Out performing both the electri-

cal index and the market as a

The shares stand on a minuscule yield of under 0.5 per

cent and sell at 40 times, hardly-

have started to emerge. Last

year pre-lax profits more than doubled to £3.25m and brokers

expect them at least to double in

the next two years and continue

£850.000 of which was achieved last year, is more than double that of a year ago and the company appears confident of achieving at least £1,7m from this source in 1983

Athough the fancy rating looks justified, the shares could

underperform the index over the

next year, despite the buoyant

outlook and the sweatener of a one-for-two script issue.

Even if it proves only temporary, the abatement in the cross-chan-

nel ferry price war is for the

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The group pretax profit was left E3.2m higher at £30.7m. Har-

hour profits should benefit from

Dividend up

at Caparo

By Victor Felstead

share is being raised from 1.0p to 1.25p; however, earnings per share are down from 5.28p to

Turnover expanded from £39,12m to £52,41m. The board is confident that further im-

provement in carnings will

and the proposed offer for Barton Group.

better volumes while property returns will be boosted by some

this source in 1983.

There has been a big rise in

The reasons for this rating

taxed, historic earnings.

One bright spot has been the foreign exchange side wich contributed to a good rise in other operating income from

£44m to £53m. However, net interest income has been almost static, staff expenses are up by 9.8 per cent and it is also hard to resist the conclusion that the group may have been losing some market

Assuming a lower bad debt charge in the second half, the group could make about £80m for the year compared with The new management de-serves a decent interval to prove itself but there are still more questions than answers hanging over the group, which accounts for the 15p drop in the share

Sound Diffusion

price to 122p,

Sound Diffusion
Year to 31.12.82
Pretax profit £3.25m (£1.59m)
Stated earnings 6.67p (3.56p)
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Net/final dividend 0.8694p (0.7245p) Share price 266p up 4p. Yeald 0.47)

The share price of Sound Diffusion, the Hove electronic engineering group, has more

Hawley in £14m rights issue after profit rise

By Michael Clark

Mr Michael Asheroft, chairman of Hawley the services group, has never been one to miss chances and yesterday he demonstrated this by announcing terms of a £14.4m rights issue – just days after announc-ing a leap of 86 per cent in pretax profits to a record £5.5m. The terms are on the basis of

one new share for every four orders, the company said vesterday. New rental business, £850,000 of which was achieved to deflate Hawley's high-riding share price which ended the day Hp to 167p. The 10.2 million new shares will not rank for the final dividend of 2.2p gross just announced.

Mr Ashcroft said that the rights was needed after the group's recent expansion programme. "This puts the whole now have cash in hand every-

where". Mr Ashcroft said. where Mr Asheron said.
Hawkey hope to spend £2.5m
of the proceeds from the rights
on taking up its own entitlement to Electro-Protectives
£10m rights issue, which reducins Hawkey and to just a red net Jerry price war is for the moment doing wonders for the profits of European Ferries. Returns from the shipping division rose from a price-war depressed £1.9m in 1981 to £12.8m last year, more than making up for the sharp decline in hanking and property profits. es Hawley's grip to just over 50

per cent. The rest will pay off debts leaving cash in hand of £2m. Mr Asheroft has already expressed his desire to make further inroads into the US Electro-Protectives. where Hawley's biggest profits carner, continues to expand and is now the fifth largest security group

The terms of the rights issue fail to give a profits forecast for the present year after three years of strong growth, which has seen profits jump from £900,000 to this week's figure of £5.5m and assets leap from 48p

Mr Asheroft added: "I don't think we really need any profits forecast. There are enough Caparo Industries pretax profits climbed to £1.21m in 1982, almost trebling the previous year's £419,000, which includes nine months for C.M.T. The net dividend a brokers doing that for us"

Hawley's own brokers Capel-Cure Myers yesterday promptly jumped on the handwagon easily exceeding earlier esti-mates from Scrimgcour Kenp Gcc. Grenfell & Colegrave and L. Messel. They are looking for almost doubled profits in the

present year of £11.5m. Since Mr Ashcroft took over at Hawley, the group's trading allow dividend growth to hase has grown considerably. As continue.

Caparo's group composition the husiness the group is also the husiness the growth and the husiness the husiness the growth and the husiness the h myolyed in double glazing. home improvements, and security. The next move could be to float off Provincial on the Unlisted Securities Market.

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8 good reasons hy you should not sell Tilling.

1. The bid is unwelcome, unacceptable and inadequate. BTR is trying to get Tilling on the cheap.

Tilling is a strong group of companies, well placed to take advantage of the improvement in world conditions.

5. 1983 is a year of recovery.

4. Tilling is forecasting

• 113% increase in profits to £95 million.

• 149% increase in earnings per Ordinary share.

25% increase in dividends per Ordinary share.

5. Acceptance of the bid would result in

• Inadequate capital value. • 43% loss of income.

· 20% dilution of attributable earnings.

40% dilution of asset backing.

O. The bid has no business or commercial logic.

BTR's growth is faltering.

O•Tilling is worth a great deal more than BTR is offering. You, not BTR, should benefit from this.



Don't sell Tilling short-don't sell Tilling at all.

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Caparo's group composition will change significantly in 1963 with the takeover and restructuring of E. Austin and Sons

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APPOINTMENTS

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Aberconway next February. Mr C. F. Blewett will become retail operations. regional director of the Devon and Cornwall regional board of

Lloyds Bank on July 1.

Mr Rodney Leach is to join Matheson & Co in London as an executive director.

Mr Fraser D. Campell, executive director of the British Linen Bank in charge of the bank's wholly-owned subsidiary Capital Leasing, is to join the bank's corporate finance depart-

Mr Peter Gwinnett has been

Mr W F Morrey has become claims director of British Dr. Stanley Dennison has National Insurance Company. He will also be responsible for the North Atlantic Insurance

appointed general manager,

Mr K Wright will be company secretary of Ocean Transport & Trading from July Mr John Antill and Mr I, Mr Wright is an executive of Christopher Smaley are joining Ocean. At the same time Mr P the board of the North American Non-Marine Division of solicitor but will reamain deputy company secretary.

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Time to put the Third World debt threat into perspective

It was the failure of the

Perhaps this was an appropri-

But the short run liquidity

Much of the talk of a Third World debt crisis threatening the Western banking system is

It stems from a misunderstanding in both North and South of the consequences of a return to private commercial lending as the main form of capital flow from rich to poor

The expansion of commercial bank lending to the South, from modest beginnings in the mid to late 1960s, has become the main source of external capital for development in the 1970s.

This marks a reversion to the typical 19th and early 20th century source of foreign capital for development – portfolio lending from rich to poor countries. This commercial market had been closed to Third World countries since their widespread defaults in the

These defaults were the result and not the cause of the Great Depression. But the trauma of these defaults coloured post-war views about the desirability of private flows of capital between countries. The Bretton Woods system was regarded by the then JS Secretary of the Treasury, Henry Morgenthan as the achievement of his lifelong international

American banking regulations and the widespread use of exchange controls in Europe - in the UK until 1979 - limited the access of Third World coentries to Western capital markets. Foreign aid was invented to provide an alternative form of capital transfer, and until the 1970s, along with direct foreign investment, provided the major source of foreign capital for development.

Long-term debt of non-oil developing countries

Total external debt As percentage of	1973 \$97bn 20	1982 \$505bn 30
output As percentage of exports	90	110

Sources: IMF and W. A. Lewis: Growth and Fluctuations 1870-1913

Paradoxically, the American the unregulated, offshore Eurocurrency markets in the 1960s. Most of the bank loans to the Third World have been channelled through these markets, based in the 1970s on the massive increase in the Euro-currency deposits of the surplus OPEC countries.

This reopening of the port-folio market – albeit with shorter maturities than was common in the 19th and early 20th century, and with a larger proportion of sovereign (publicly guaranteed) borrowing has been advantageous for the Third World

Unlike foreign aid or direct investment, commercial bank borrowing does not require an intimate relationship between borrower and lender, with all the accompanying misunder-standings and the politicization

But it is precisely for this reason that dirigistes have always cast a jaundiced eye on all "unregulated" private flows of capital.

Two fears are widespread about this Eurolending. First, that the current level of Third World debt is too high. Secondly, that as a result borrowers may not be able or willing to continue to meet their willing to continue to meet their debt-servicing obligations, and might decide to repudiate their debts, leading to a collapse of the Western banking system. It would be foolish to argue

that international capital markets are perfect or that all commercial lending has been wise. But these fears are exaggerated.
The fears have been fuelled

various statistical ratios

Statistics for 5 major borrowers in private capital market					
Country	Output Export growth growth 1970-80 1970-80	Medium term debt service ratio 1981 (a	Percent bank debt short-	cash-flow ratio, 1982 (b)	
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debt or the costs of its service to the export earnings or gross domestic product, of particular countries, or the group of non-

Oil developing countries. But most of these ratios are borrowers which has precipi-leaningless. For as long as a tated their debt "crisis" by meaningless. For as long as a borrower can utilize a foreign loan productively to yield a rate real interest cost of the borrowing, and can convert the equivalent domestic resources achievement of his lifelong into foreign exchange, the ambition to drive the usuri- foreign borrowing can pose no ous moneylenders from the problem. Until the past two years of high interest rates, these real interest costs of borrowing were extremely low, crisis precipitated by the comand negative in some years.

> Secondly, even if the ratios of foreign debt, or debt service charges to exports are taken at their face value, by historical standards they are by no means excessive. The ratio, of long term debt to exports of non-oil developing countries of 1.1 in 1982 is well below the lowest ratios of 2.2 for China and Japan in 1913 and a traction of these for Canada and South Africa, There was little talk of a debt crisis then.

The doubling in real terms of the long term debt of the Third World over the past 10 years merely reflects a readjustment in the borrowing countries to the opportunities presented by the rebirth of the international capital market.

There may be more reason to worry about the inability of Third World countries to increase their export earnings because of the rising tide of protectionism in the West, but it should be noted that , in the 1970s, the major borrowers had no difficulty in increasing their export earnings, or putting the borrowings to productive use, is judged by the growth rates of

In the past, the domestic policies of many Third World countries have hindered an expansion of their export earnings, and these have not yet been reformed. But, nevertheless, resisting protectionist pressures in the West is the best means available to help debt

So far, however, we have been concerned with the long and medium term dept of the Third World. In recent years, some countries - mainly in Latin America - have obtained substantial short term credits from commercial banks.

These are analogous to the overdraft limits which banks offer to their domestic customers. Just as a domestic client would only expect to pay the interest on his overdraft out of current income, repayments of principal on these short term debts are not usually considered to be part of the annual debt

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Consolidated Crds - 10	%
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ness of these countries' past prevent the collapse in their borrowings or their future domestic money supply.

ability to service them than drawal of an overdraft facility for an otherwise sound com-

If the commercial banks' withdrawal of credit to some of imprudence of some of their past lending, it might require the acceptance of capital losses associated with bad debts which are part of the normal risks of banking, but it would still not justify forcing their debtors into

If, however, it was believed default, associated bank failures international banking system would be seen as unacceptable. commercial banks to roll over these short term credits as usual and would force Western governments to organize a "bail-out" of the commercial for the major Latin American banks, their actions during the last few years can be viewed as creating a short run cash flow problem for these countries. being rational.

For the commercial debt accumulated by the Third World in the 1970s represents ate tactic to use to persuade countries, whose lax domestic loans made by Opec via the Western commercial banking financial policies might have created a future debt servicing problem, to put their bouse in system. Many are playing on the historical memories of the bank failures during the 1930s. These bank failures, however, were not the cause of the Great

domestic money supply. With most depositors in Western countries implicitly or explicitly insured, and assuming their governments do not allow their domestic money supply to shrink failures of imprudent banks need not have any of the other dire consequences currently being predicted.

Developing countries						
Year	%					
1976	2.3					
1977	0.6					
1978	-1.3					
1979	0.1					
1980	1.8					
1981-82	9.8					
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In this context, the converprovident Third World governments, Opec depositors, and which would administer a "bailout" of the banks, can be seen proclaiming a debt crisis which threatens the international economy. But there is little reason for Western taxpayers to accept this special pleading.

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"We anticipate a better performance in 1983" says Chairman Patrick W. McGrath Balance Sheet reflects continuing strength

Group sales for 1982 moved to over IR£200 millions for the first time, a 7% increase on the previous year. Profits of IR£8.49 millions were 18% and 188.49 millions for the first time, a 70% and 188.49 millions for the first time, a 70% and 188.49 millions were 18% and 188.49 millions for the first time, a 70% and 188.49 millions were 18% and 188.40 millions were 18% and 18% down on the previous year but reflect a more satisfactory result in the second half of the year. Earnings per share were only moderately lower at 3.76p as compared with 4.10p in 1981. The fall in interest rates in the third quarter had a helpful impact and, hopefully, this trend will continue through 1983.

Overall, the Balance Sheet of the Group reflects continuing strength and we are maintaining the dividend at last year's level. Waterford Crystal. Crystal sales were well maintained at retail level.

confirming Waterford Crystal's prime market position during 1982. The new lighting-ware factory performed very satisfactorily with many items proving very popular. Contract work was also pursued, with notable success in Ireland and the Middle East.

In the United Kingdom we merged the distribution companies of

both Waterford Crystal and Aynsley China into one company. This has

already resulted in a substantial improvement in sales so far this year.

Aynsley China. Aynsley China has been steadily expanding and improving its position in world markets, with both traditional bone china ware and new products. During 1982 it maintained its output and profit performance.

Switzer Group. The very adverse consumer spending trends affected the Switzer Group in the first half of the year. It had, however, a particularly good recovery in the second half and surpassed its 1981 profits.

The Smith Group. The Smith Group, which distributes the Renault motor car in Ireland, maintained its market share at over 10%. As a result, the overall effect, aided by the weakness of the French franc against the Irish pound, was a small profit in the motor division.

Outlook. Every effort will be made to avail of all opportunities which we expect to emerge, allowing us to regain past strength and restore growth. We anticipate a better performance in 1983 with hope that continued and concentrated efforts will lead to a more secure and stable period in the mid-1980s.

1982	1981
TR£	IR£
203,755,000	190,248,000
8,493,000	10,359,000
3.76p	4.10p
1.511p	1.511p
85,286,000	80,443,000
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OSIR Adrian Cadibury, chairman of Cadibury Schweppea pic, told the company's arrusal meeting in London yesterday that he was confident its reputation for real and consistent progress would be maintained in the current year.

States in 1983 had started slowly, but were now picking up around the world. The benefits of the investment programme were combined with close and these, combined with close and these,

a whole. This will not, however, after the geographical balance of the company, which is now an international business with a strong home-base."

Trust's earnings attributable to share-

T Cowie Half-year to 31.3.83 Pretex profit, £325,000 (£311,000). Started samings, 1.17p (1.15p). Turnover, £50m (£44m). Net interim dividend, 0.8p (0.8p). Dividend payable on 22.7.83.

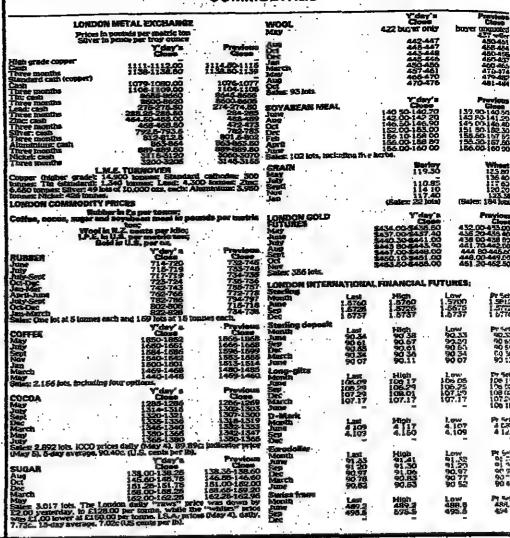
North Midland Construction Half-year to 28.2.83. Pretax profit, £127,000 (£98,000). Stated earnings, 4.1p (3.4p). Turnover, £3.55m (£3.81m). Net interim dividend, 0.65p (0.65p).

Berton Transport Half-year to 12.3.63. Pretax foss, 237,000 (£180,000 foss). Turnover, £3.43m (£3.21m). Net interim dividend, nil (nil).

J. O. Walker Year to 31:12.82 Pretax profit, £298,000 (£116,00) loss). Stated earnings, 37.1p (4.0p), Turnover, 28.32m (27.49m), Net dividend, 3.5p (1.0p).

to 31.12.82 to 31.12.82 Prestax profit, £39,000 (£46,009), Stated earnings, 3.33p (4.18p), Net dividend, 3.0p (3.0p), Dividend payable on about 16,7.83,

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Industrial notebook

Home truths about coal outlook

comment on the remarkable transformation in industrial relations that has occurred in Britain's coal judustry over the last year. It is only 14 months since Mr Scargill, breathing lungfuls of fire and confrontation, took over as leader of the National Union of Mine-

However, what promised to be the annus mirabilis of coal field militancy has proved to be very opposite. The pay ballot, kinneil, Merthyr Tydfil, all bear witness to the triumph of the campaign of commonsense and determination being waged by the coal board, with the grateful backing of the Government. Yet there is another side to the board's activities which has generated less attention than the strikes and pit closures which have dominated the headlines. This is the marketing side of the coal board - and here, too, there has been a noticable change in emphasis since Mr Norman Siddall, the gruff mining engineer, took over as interim

board chairman last year. Anybody who was at the coal board's annual press conference this week would have been left in no doubt that the coal market is still very much down in the dumps. Demand for coal, despite being widely bailed as the fuel of the future, and Britain's answer to Opec, has fallen from 133 million tonnes in 1973 to a new low of 110 million tonnes in the fipancial year just ended. In contrast to the irrepres-

sibly optimistic Lord Ezra, Mr Siddall and his colleagues make so bones about the fact that they face at least five tough years of weak demand. Demand this year may pick up by the odd million tonne or so, helped it should be said by a ban on CEGB coal imports

industrial coal conversion, but the medium term outlook is still bleak.

It is probably arguable whether the collapse of the coal market makes it easier or harder for the board to press ahead with what is (pace Mr Scargill) the necessary and inevitable closure of nneconomic pits. I suspect that it does make a difficult task some-what less difficult but what is not in doubt is that presentation is a key part of the

One of the Government's most frequent criticisms of Lord Ezra, a marketing man by profession, was that his regular eulogies of the coal industry when selling coal fitted ill with his apparently endden conversion when sudden conversion, when threatened with industrial action in the pits, to the view that the industry's fature was

By contrast the present chairman, whose loyalty to the industry is every bit as strong as his predecessor's, has always struck a less articulate but more convincingly realistic line about the industry's

financial prospects.

It will be interesting to see how Mr Ian MacGregor chooses to play this particular aspect of his new responsibilities when he takes over in September. Stang no doubt by the "hatchet man" taunts, his the "hatchet man" taunts, his supporters have been making much of the fact that Mr MacGregor is at least as impressive in finding markets for products as he is at shutting down uneconomic or antiquated capacity.

Everybody must hope that this is the case; for the industry's problems are ones of demand and morale as well of high costs.

Jonathan Davis

Portals-15 years of unbroken profit growth

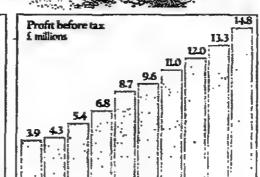
Record sales and profits in 1982 were earned by persistence and innovation...There were very few windfalls...We sell our products in 150 countries of the world... Despite over-capacity in our industries, which makes winning orders difficult, most of our companies started 1983 in good shape.

-Julian Sheffield, Chairman Water Treatment & Engineering Division

Turnover increased 10% from £106m. in 1981 to £116m. in 1982. Trading profit rose from £5.4m. to £5.7m. Some companies specialising in water treatment produced excellent results and the majority reasonable levels of profit. Our engineering companies lost money. We anticipate considerable profit growth from this division.

Papermaking Division Sales increased from £40m. to £46m. but profits before tax were similar to 1981. International competition put margins under pressure. However, continuing capital investment and product improvement should enable this division to produce acceptable

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Papermaking	7,687	7.579
Water Treatment		
and Engineering	5.666	5,392
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	14,376	13,911
. Holding Company		
Interest receivable (net)	1,494	323
Unallecated costs	(1,076)	(916)
	14794	13,317
Earnings per share (basic)	46.00p	67.050
Ordinary dividend	15.50p	14.000
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Outstanding investment performance crowns 150th year

Highlights from the Statement by Edwin W. Phillips MBE, Chairman of Friends' Provident Life Office.

Worldwide growth

Worldwide annual premiums rose 20% to ± 39.1m, and new single premiums by 46% to £49.9m. Territorial analysis shows satisfactory progress in almost all areas.

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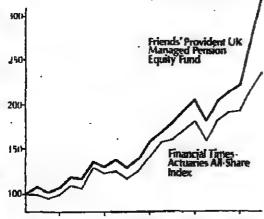
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Record Bonuses in Ireland

Despite very difficult economic conditions new annual premium income was maintained at just under IR£4m, Record Ordinary Bonuses at IR£5 per £100 sum assured and new Terminal Bonuses are an indication of the strength of our investment performance.

Outstanding Investment Performance

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Law Report May 6 1983 House of Lords

Injury claim against driver's insurers statute-barred

Deerness v John R. Keeble & by the plaintiff in not wearing a seat.

Son (Brantham) Ltd and belt, liability was not in question after the second defendant pleaded

Before Lord Diplock, Lord Edmund-Davies, Lord Keith of Kinkel, Lord Brandon of Oakbrook and Lord Brightman [Speeches delivered May 5]

Where a writ in a personal injuries action was issued within the three-year limitation period in section 11 of the Limitation Act 1980 but was not served within that period, and a second writ was then issued outside the limitation period, the plaintiff was not entitled to leave to continue the action under section 33 of the Act because a writ had been issued within the limitation

The House of Lords dismissed an appeal by the plaintiff Miss Lorna Deerness, of Baldock, Heris, from a Deerness, of Baldock, Heris, from a judgment of the Court of Appeal (Sir John Donaldson, Master of the Rolls and Lord Justice Dillon) (The Times, October 18, 1982) who, allowing an appeal by the defendants. John R. Keeble & Son (Brantham) Ltd. owners of a motor car, and Miss Caroline Keeble, of Manningtree, Essex, its driver, from Mr Justice Comyn, upheld a decision of Master Prebble that the plaintiff's claim was statute barred.

decision of Master Prebble that the plaintiff's claim was statute barred.
Section 11 of the Limitation Act 1980 provides: "(1) This section applies to any action for damages for negligence... where the damages claimed ... consist of or include damages in respect of personal injuries to the plaintiff...

"(3) An action to which this section applies shall not be brought after the expiration of the period applicable in accordance with applicable in accordance subsection (4)...

"(4) the period applicable is three years from - (a) the date on which the cause of action

section 33 provides: "(1) If it appears to the court that it would be equitable to allow an action to proceed having regard to the degree to which - (a) the provisions of section [1]...prejudice the plaintiff ... and (b) any decision of the court under this subsection would prejudice the defendant . . . the court may direct that those provisions shall not apply to the Mr Piers Ashworth, QC and Mr Richard Mawrey for the plaintiff, Mr Michael Turner, QC and Mr Julien Hooper for the defendants.

LORD DIPLOCK said that on October 7, 1977, there was a motor accident when the plaintiff, then aged 19, was a passenger in a car which ran into a lamp standard on a motorway. The plaintiff sustained very serious injuries which had left

her a parapiegic.

The plaintiff's solicitors got in touch with Corphill Insurance Co

guilty to a charge of careless driving.
The plaintiff's medical The plaintiff's medical condition was slow in stabilising and as late as November 1979 a final prognosis was still not available.

A reliable estimate of the quantum of damages that would be recoverable (which included a claim for the plaintiff's loss of earnings prospects as a professional show-jumper) was therefore not possible

A writ was issued in August 1979 but it was not served within 12 months, nor was any application made for its renewal before the primary limitation period expired on October 7, 1980. In the on October 1, 1900. In the meantime, an opportunity arose for the plaintiff to purchase a motor vehicle adapted to her disabilities, and Cornhill sent the solicitors a cheque for £5,000 "as interim payment as agreed".

In April 1981 the file of the case was taken over the someone clear in

was taken over by someone cise in the solicitors firm, and he realized that the likelihood of being able to obtain an extension of the writ, the primary limitation period having expired, was minimal. He accordingly caused a fresh will to be

the pleadings, and in due course an application by the plaintiff that she should be permitted under section 33 of the 1980 Act to continue the action in spite of section [1, came before the master, and was

dismissed.
On the plaintiff's appeal. Mr
Justice Comyn was faced with the
unanimous House of Lords decision
in Walldey v Precision Forgings Ltd
{{1979} 1 WLR 606} that a plaintiff
who had actually started an action
before the expiry of the primary
limitation period could not, for the
purpose of what was now section 33,
he "meriudiced" by the application of section 11.

The judge, however, seized on a passage in his Lordship's speech where his Lordship, with customary caution, left open the possibility that there might be "exceptional circumstances" where a plaintiff with the allowed to proceed in might be allowed to proceed in those circumstances. The example which his Lordship gave was where the plaintiff "had been induced to discontinue by a misrepresentation or other improper conduct by the

defendant".

Walkley's case was one of discontinuance of proceedings, and his Lordship's example was more accurately characterized as an estoppel from relying on section 11, rather than a disapplication of that section by the court in the exercise of its discretion under section 33, such discretion being exercised. such discretion being exercised having regard to the matters specified in section 33.

Whether a defendant was es-

Ltd. with whom both the defendants

Whether a defendant was eswere insured. The negotiations
proceeded in a somewhat desultory
fashion, but it was only fair to say
that, although, apart from a possible
allegation of contributory negligence

Specified in section 35.

Whether a defendant was estopped or not was a question of law,
and not a matter of discretion for
the judge. The rationale of the rule
laid down in Walkley did not
logically admit of any exceptions.

Mr Justice Comyn treated the reference in Walkley to a possible exception to the rule laid down in that case, as giving a judge carte blanche to disregard the general rule in any case where he thought the

circumstances were exceptional. He held that there were such circumstances in the instant case, namely, the facts of the accident, the guilty plea, the prolonged corre-spondence between the solicitors and Cornhill, the interim payment by Combill and the fact that the defendants would not be prejudiced

None of those matters overcame the fatal obstacle that the solicitors did cause a writ to be issued within the primary limitation period.

the primary limitation period.

As was said in Thompson v Brown ([1981] I WLR 744), it might seem anomalous that a solicitor's negligence in failing to issue a writ within the primary limitation period was capable of being mitigated by an application under section 33, whereas his negligence in failing to serve it before its validity for service expired was not capable of being so mitigated.

mitigated.

But that was a consequence of a for limitation purposes an action was brought when a writ was issued rather then when it was brought to the defendant's knowledge by

the defendant's knowledge by service upon him.

Moreover, as Lord Wilberforce pointed out in Walkley, if the plaintiff did bring his first action within the normal limitation period, any prejudice he later suffered was by reason of his own inaction and not the operation of extinct 1.

not the operation of section [1].

Before their Lordships' House the plaintiff raised a contention that there could be spelt out of the correspondence and the interim correspondence and the interim payment either an agreement by Cornhill not to rely on the 1980 Act, or a representation by them to that effect which induced the solicitors to refrain from renewing the first writ. There was no basis for any such argument in the pleadings. There was no doubt that if an action had been brought and proceeded with timeously, the plaintiff would long previously have recovered very substantial damages which Cornhill would have had to pay.

But the solicitors were insured against liability for negligence, and what the appeal was really about was a squabble between the solicitors' insurers and Combill as

to who would have to pay the heavy The plaintiff herself would not suffer. She had already received £100.000, pursuant to a condition which the Appeal Committee of the House imposed on granting leave to appeal. She should now receive the

Lord Edmund-Davis, Lord Keith, Lord Brandon and Lord Brightman

Solicitors: A. E. Hamlin & Co: Stanleys & Simpson North.

Fraudulent use of vehicle excise licence

[Judgment delivered May 5] A person did not fraudulently use an excise licence within the meaning of section 2b(1) of the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1971, unless be used it in an attempt to avoid paying the proper licence fee.

Therefore, a direction to the jury hich left it open to them to convict the defendant even where they accepted that he had not attempted to avoid paying the fee, but merely to avoid being charged with using a car without exhibiting a licence in breach of section 12(4) of the same Act. was a misdirection.

The Court of Appeal (Criminal Division) so held, allowing the defendant's appeal against his conviction by Warrington Crown Court on February 25, 1982.

Mr Thomas Teague for the appellant defendant, Mr Paul O'Brien for the prosecution.

MR JUSTICE BALCOMBE, giving the judgment of the court, said that the appellant had been convicted on two counts: (1) the theft of an excise luceuce; and (2) the figurables tree of an excise luceuce; and (2) the fraudulent use of an excise licence contrary to section 26(1) the 1971 Act. He appealed against his conviction on the second count.

On May 18, 1981, the appellant rented a Ford Escort from a car hire firm. He returned the car on May 22, 1981, but the tax disc had gone. On June 1, 1981, the appellant was driving his own Ford Cortina. No excise licence was displayed on

When stopped by a police officer and asked for his excise licence, the appellant reached into the car and produced the unexpired tax disc from the hired Ford Escort.

The appellant told the police officer that he had already applied officer that he had already applied for a licence for the Ford Cortina and he repeated that assertion when he gave evidence at his trial. The learned recorder, while

directing the jury on the law on count 2 said the prosecution had to prove an intention that the licence would be accepted as a genuine document applicable to that Cortina

In other words, that a police officer looking at the car would have wrongly thought the car was validly taxed and had a licence exhibited although, in fact, it was not validly taxed and there was no licence for that particular car.

The appellant contended that this was a misdirection, since it left it open to the jury to convict him even they accepted his statement that he had already applied for a licence for the Coruna, and was not

Regina v Terry

Before Lord Justice Dunn. Mr

Justice Balcombe and Mr Justice
Leonard

[Indgment delivered May 5]

A person did not fraudulently use

therefore trying to avoid paying the proper licence fee for that car, but was merely trying to avoid being the Rolls, sitting with but a licence being exhibited in breach of section 12(4) of the 1971 Act.

Therefore trying to avoid paying the proper licence fee for that car, but was merely trying to avoid being the Rolls, sitting with but a licence being exhibited in breach of section 12(4) of the 1971 Act.

In R + Manners-Astley ([1967] 1 WLR 1505) it was held that a perso WLR 1503) it was beld that a person did not fraudulently use an excise licence, within the meaning of section 17(1) of the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1962, unless he used it in an attempt to avoid paying the proper licence fee. Section 17(1) of the 1962 Act was, in all material respects in the same terms as respects, in the same terms as section 26(1) of the 1971 Art.

Unfortunately, the attention of the learned recorder had not been drawn to that case. If it had been his direction might have taken a different form, since on the facts it would have been open to the jury to find that the appellant's use of the Escort's tax disc was in order to would nature the ground that the appellant's use of the Escort's tax disc was in order to would nature the ground license fee

avoid paying the proper licence fee for the Coruna.

Mr Teague, for the Crown, took the bold course of submitting that Manners-Asiley was inconsistent with the decision of the House of Lords in Witham v DPP [[1961] AC 103)

There it was held that the words "intent to defraud" in section 4(1) of the Forgery Act 1913 were not confined to the idea of depriving a person by deceit of some economi person by deceit of some economic advantage or inflicting upon him some economic loss, but could extend to the purpose of deceiving a person responsible for a public duty into doing something that he would not have done but for the deceit, or not doing something that but for it he would have done.

The speeches made it clear that that interpretation of "intent to defraud" was founded largely upon the general meaning of "defraud" and was not based solely on the particular construction of the Engrey Act 1913 and was and based solely on the particular construction of the Forgery Act 1913.

Nevertheless Welham was fully considered by the Court of Appeal

in Manners-Asiley and was dis-tinguished as being confined to the His Lordship felt bound to say

that he did not find it easy to understand that distinction: indeed in the subsequent case in the House of Lords of Scott v Metropolite Police Commissioner ([1975] AC 819), Viscouni Dilhorne made it clear that he considered the definition of defraud in Welham's case as being of general application.
Further, that narrow construction of fraudulent use might produce an unsatisfactory result, as was exemp-lified in the present case. But their Lordships could not say that Manners-Astiey had been decided per incurium, and accordingly the appeal would be allowed and the conviction on count 2 quashed.

Solicitors: Ashalla, Warrington; Mr E. C. Woodcock, Chester.

Committing for sentence

Regina v Guildhall Justices, Ex that decision had been taken were

parte Cooper
When considering whether to
commit a defendant to the crown
court for sentence under section 38 court for sentence under section 38 of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 and section 56 of the Criminal Justice Act 1967, justices should take account only of information which had come to their knowledge after they had decided that the case was suitable for summary trial; facts of which they had been aware when

not subsequently to be considered when considering a section 38

Mr Justice Glidewell, sitting in the Queen's Bench Divisional Court on May 4 with Lord Justice Robert Goff, so held granting an application for certiorari to quash an order of the justices committing the applicant to the Croydon Crown to which he had pleaded guilty.

Appeal pleas heard in open court

Dunn and Lord Justice Purchas in the Court of Appeal on May 5, issued a practice statement on applications heard by a single judge.

THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS said that last October he made a statement (The Times, October 5, 1982) concerning changes being made in the procedure of the court. In the course of the "informal commentary" which he issued at the same time, he drew attention to the same time, he arew attention to the fact that a single judge of the Court of Appeal would be able to consider incidental applications, such as those for leave to appeal, thus saving the time of the full court. His Lordship added that that judge would be in chambers. would sit in chambers.

It had recently been suggested It had recently been suggested that on the true construction of the Supreme Court Act, 1981, and Order 59 of the Rules of the Supreme Court, the sole exception to the general rule that the single judge would normally sit in chambers was where he was considering an application for leave to appeal and that he should then sit to appeal and that he should then sit in open court. The practice had been altered accordingly and applications for leave to appeal were now being heard in open court.

Although it was now considered that the previous practice of hearing such applications otherwise than in open court was a procedural irregularity, the only result of such irregularity was that orders previously made in chambers could, in theory, be set aside if applications were made for that purpose.

As the merits would have been fully considered before the order was made, the applicant, on any such application, would be unlikely to succeed unless he satisfied the court that he had been prejudiced by the harrists having taken place in the hearing having taken place in chambers rather than in open court.

Shoots are not special occasions

Chief Constable of Kent v

On an application for 12 special exemptions from permitted licens-ing hours under section 74(4) of the Licensing Act 1964 for 12 shooting occasions during the shooting season, justices should consider as a matter of law whether the 12 occasions were capable of being special occasions. Mr Justice Forbes said in the Queen's Bench Division on May 4, allowing the chief constable's appeal by way of case stated against the grant of the special licences.

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Bernyn Justices, Ex pane Edwards
([1980] I WLR 1045) set out the
approach to be adopted when
considering an application under
section 74(4).

Although the frequency of the
occasions was important, the
justices had not considered whether
the 12 shooting occasions were
special occasions. There was no
special occasion concerned with a special occasion concerned with a shoot any more than there was a special occasion concerned with a

football match. The 12 occasions could not be regarded as special occasions either nationally or locally and the appeal

Hadlee enlivens a quiet day with century

HOVE: Sussex, with all second mnings wickets in hand are 178 runs behind Nottinghamshire.

Richard Hadlee, whose bowling brought ruin to Sussex on Wednesday morning, was mainly responsible for Nottinghamshire building up a solid lead. He arrived soon after lunch, with Randall just out and the score 135 for four. In no time he had rauled up 50, scorching the covers with handsome strokes off the back foot and once lifting Barclay in the pavilion. Thereafter be took it quietly and by the time he reached his hundred at 5pm he had long become discretion itself.

By then, however, Nottinehamught ruin to Sussex on Wednes-

source were 290 for six and Sussex's bowling in Imran's absence, was looking decidedly thin Hadler was caught on the boundary the next ball after his hundred or Sussex might have had a nastier last hour. Instead, Rice declared at 322 for nine to give Sussex 45 minutes.

In contrast, though, to the dramas of the morning before, it was a day of few incidents. The occasional ball kept low but that apart the Sussex, bowlers got little out of a docile

On a hazy, almost warm morning, Nottinghamshire quickly lost Hassan and Robinson, the latter to a fine catch by Wells at slip off Le

soon driving the quicker bowlers skimmingly off front and back foot. It took a lovely ball from Le Roux to bit his off stump when he had

res in his or stump when he had cruised to 37.

Randall, producing none of the strokes that are recongnisably his, received another beauty after lunch from Pigott that pitched on his

Birch, though at first content to watch Hadlee dispatch some not very testing bowling, gradually began to produce reflective vari-ations of his own. He and Hadlee put to gether 78 before Birch,

lunging at Waller, was need by Green in front of the sight screen. Barclay had a very short bowl, Wells and Greig rather a longer one, and Waller with some accuracy but generally flattish trajectory, much the longest. Greig got little past the bat and it was really only the odd ball from Pigott that hussled enough

Green, fielding at silly mid-on took a nasty crack on the knee from the lst hit of the Nottinghamshire innings

Total (81.5 overs) 115
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-0, 2-0, 3-0, 4-5, 5-5, 3-8, 7-17, 8-19, 9-115, 10-115.

Surrey beat their chests in the cold

their run-ups, there was much arm-swinging and chest-beating to keep

For it did become chilly. Even Pamela, the glorious imperturbable ranica, the gonons imperationals redhead who presides over the bar felt like a bit of warming up.

Surrey began at 28 for one, 305 behind, 10 overs gone. By tea, after 44 overs, Smith and Clinton had progressed to 106. The only serious troubles, they were in always selfcaught from a careless swing to the on. Smith, whose final position in



Wright the bright spot

LEICESTER: Leicestershire, with nine second innings wickets in hand, lead Derbyshire by 90 runs.
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Leicestershire lead by 90 runs thanks to some hard work by their bowlers on a placid pitch. They are still without their main strike bowlers, Roberts and Taylor, so this was a splendid effort.

But Derbyshire must be worried about the approaching day when they lose their opener, Wright, to the World Cup and forthcoming Test series.

Shire

Ray Illingworth and Dennis as batting their captains' right, over-ruled the tempires to start the delayed championship match against warwickshire. But the weather won in the end, bad light yorkshire 61 for one.

Dickie Bird and Ray Julian were due to make a third inspection at 2.45 but 20 minutes before that the long the province.

Test series.
The New Zealand left-hander had.

The New Zealand left-hander had the highest score, an attractive 60. That was the brightest spot of a fairly dull day's cricket. Eventually Derbyshire scrambled to 265 for eight declared.

But for three missed catches, Leicestershire could have restricted their opponents even further but after Wright's departure, shortly before lunch, only a stubborn

before lunch, only a stubborn fourth-wicket stand of 77 between Hampshire and Miller stood between Leicester and a break-

The key was the left-arm spin of Steele and the bowling of England hopeful, Cook, whose accuracy frustrated Derby's attempt

erstone 69). Second lanings

Total (1 witt)FALL OF WICKETS: 1-36.

DERBYSHIRE: First innings to Wood Dw B Agnew
J G Wright c Beiderstone b Cott.
K J Barnett c Beiderstone b Cook
J H Hannshire c Tolchard b Parsons
G Miller b Steele A Hill of Steels
A Hill c Gower B Cook
P G Newmans Steel b Agnew
C J Turnschiffe st Tolchard b Cook
IR W Taylornot out D G Moir not out..... Extras (lb6,w 1, n-b 3)...

265 Total (6 wks dec. 100 overs) 8 Oldham 6d not but. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-44, 2-95, 3-103, 4-180, 5-185, 8-213, 7-244, 8-245, Bonus points; Leicestershire 7, Derbyshire 4. Umphas: N T Plans and R A White.

to cause concern. Waller picked up a wicket or two on a chill, sunless evening, but by that time they were more in the nature of presents.

SUSSEX: First immings
G D Mendis b Haddee.
A M Omera How b Handdek.
"JR T Barryby b Haddee.
P W G Parker How b Haddee.
C M Wells o Franch b Hendrick.
I A Grieg b Haddee
If J Gound c Premon b Hendrick.
G S Ie Roux c Hendrick b Cooper.
C P Philippion o Franch b Cooper.
A G S Pools b Hendrick

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE: First
Hassari c Green b Pigott
Robinson c Wells b Le Roux,
W Randaß b Pigott
E B Rice b Le Roux,
D Birch c Green b Walfer
D Hadles c Phillipson b Wells.
IN French c Gould b Walfer.
E Hemminge c Gould b Walfer.
Ecopper b Pigott.
Hendrick not out.
Extras (b 10, w 2, n-b 5)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-11, 2-18, 3-84, 4-135, 5-213, 6-268, 7-290, 8-301, 9-312.

By Alan Gibson

Bristol: Surrey, with six first-innings wickets in hand, are 81 runs behind Gloucestershire.

There had been heavy rain overnight and no play was possile until 2.30. Even then it continued under grey skies with several spots of drizzle. The conditions favoured the basmen. The pitch was soft and slow. The fieldsmen kept slipping about, the bowlers had trouble with their runner there was much arm. if the play was not excling, the runs kept ticking along.

After tea, the clouds lifted a little, though there was not trace of sunshine. Clinton and Smith carried on smoothly. Clinton had smith carried on smoothly. Clinton had another escape when he missed playing on to Graveney by an inch or so but the scoring rate improved and Gioucestershire began to look a little daunted. The 200 came up in the civereninth over troubles they were in were self-induced Clinton should have been

Smith was catching up Clinton but Clinton reached his 100 and Smith did not; but Smith must have been pleased with his innings. It will take imaginative captaincy, as well as kind weather, to get a good finish.

SURREY: First Innings R Butcher at Russell b Childs S Clinton e Bainbridge b Shepherd M Smith e Bainbridge b Childs

Total (4 wkts, 83 overs) 252 1C J Richards, D J Thomas, S T Ctarks, G Monkhouse and P I Pocock to bet, FALL OF WICKETS: 1-27, 2-218, 3-234, 4-238.

Overruling

the umpires

HEADINGLEY: Yorkshire have

two captains came out and tossed,
Amiss sending Yorkshire in to bat.
YORKSHIRE: First Imings
G Boycott, b Ferreira: 28

Total (1 wkt. 43.4 overs) ... C W J Athey, J D Love, S N Hartley, 1D L Beirstow, P Carrick, A Skiebottom, "R Bingworth and S J Dennis to bet.

WARWICKSHIRE T A Lloyd, K D Smith, "D L Antss, A I Kalicharan, G W Humpage, A M Ferreira, 1G A Tedistone, C Latribridge, C M Old, Asif Din, W Hogg.

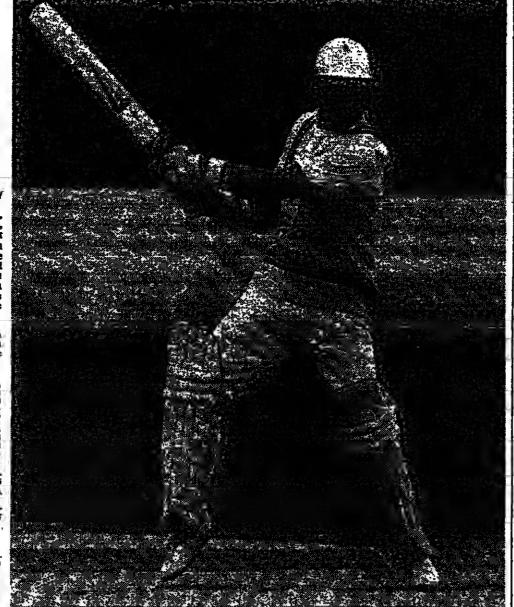
Botham brings one highlight

TAUNTON: Worcestershire, with nine first innings wickets in hand, are 237 runs behind Somerset. only 27 overs play was possible between the showers. Worcestershire finished 78 for one in reply to Somerset's declared overnight total of 325 for seven. Play came in four perods, the shortest of four overs, the longest of 13. Ormrod made 22 before being brilliantly caught at slip

SOMERSET: First Innings 325 for 7 dec (P M Roebuck 81, J W Lloyds 58), Bowling: Pridgeon 29-6-58-5; Inchmore 24-5-88-0; Patel 15-1-58-1; Perryman 15-4-52-0; Ringworth 18-2-66-1.

WORCESTERSHIRLE First limings mirrod c Bodham b Wilson Veston not out Total (1 wkt, 27 overs) ...

D N Peper, Younis Ahmed, M S A McEvoy, +D J Hamphriss, F K Bingworth, J D Inchmore, A P Pridgeons and S P Penymen to bet. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-39.
Bersus points (to date): Somerset 4,
Worcestershire 2. Umpires: R Paimer and D R Shepherd.



Painstaking century for Barlow

LORD'S: Middlesex have scored 331 in first for England. If so he will Allott bowled a good length and a for 6 declared against Lancashire.

With Radiow surrassing by a lone Lancashire bowled better than the bat Jeffries's reward for plenty for 6 declared against Lancashire. With Barlow surpassing by a long ay anything be did last season, iddlesex made 331 for 6 declared

The weather was cool but mercifully dry. With the wind blowing from beyond the indoor school, the Mound must have been warmer than the grand stand balcony. The pitch was slow, making it hard work for the bowiers. The batsmen found it easier to survive than to attack. For his 128, Barlow batted five hours 10 minutes. Having started by finding that not even a firm snick would run for four, he finished by finding that the well-timed drive or force would hardly do so either.

First thing, on a cool overcast day, Willey and Carse added a futher 76 in 70 minutes to complete

futher 76 in 70 minutes to complete Northamptonshire's recovery, after their shaky start. Cook wanted further runs, but could hardly have anticipated that the ninth wicket pair would show the profit they did. Willey resumed in the same frame of mind he exhibited for most of Wednesday: respectful to the good halls and willing to make the

frame of mind he exhibited for most of Wednesday: respectful to the good halls, and willing to punish the loose ones. He paid Carse the compliment of leaving him to fend for himself, and Carse justified his faith. Carse, a Zimbebweian of Emitish origins, is shown in Wisden

Province.

Nobody would attempt to deprive Griffiths of that place in the Northamptonshire order, and Carse himself could move higher in the list if he hats often with the method he now showed. He defended calmly

and, once his eye was in, began to loft the seam bowlers into the

Carse's forte, of course, is fast-medium bowing, and he showed commitment and vigour in several spells without always getting the reward he deserved. He stands just over 6ft 2ins and covers a 30-pace run up at full pelt. First Willey and Larkins, then Carse – the focus in this fluctuating match remained on those who wintered a South Africat since Chris Smith opened the batting for Hampshire.

Smith, who showed ominous Well-proceed by baseline Med Carse 18-2-54-2. Willey Medicaries 15-5-22-2 William Medicaries 15-5-22-2 William M

Sydney (Reuter) - Australia's selectors have kept faith with the players who inspired the country's recent triumphs and include only one surprise choice in their squad of 14 for the Prodential World Cup in

14 for the Prodential World Cup in England from June 9 to 25.

The all-rounder Trevor Chappell is recalled after a two-year international absence. Aged 30, he returns after a successful season in which he helped New South Wales to win the Sheffield Shield by scoring 633 runs and taking 27 wickers at an average of 17.85

wickers at an average of 17.85. Chappell's international debut in

1980-81 was marked by controversy

when he was told by his brother Greg, Australia's captain, to bowl undersrm in a one-day match when

New Zealand needed six to draw off

When Chappell won his only

when Chappen was ms only three Test caps in England two years ago he looked out of his depth but fielded superbly. This, with his experience of English conditions, influenced his recall ahead of the all-rounder, ken Macleay.

New faith in Chappell

"The way I worked it out it was to be me or Ken Mackery and I knew I had more year's experience in Tests"

ABSTRALIAN SQUAD: K Hughes (captair), D Hockes, A Border, G Chappel, T Chappel, T Hogan, R Hoga, G Lawson, D Lines, R Marsh, J Thomson, K Wessels, G Wood, G Yalkop.

they caught. They put down perhaps half a dozen chances, most of them Middlesex made 331 for 6 declared against Lancashire yesterday. Today it will be Lancashire's turn to see whether they can improve upon Middlesex's three bonus points for batting.

The weather was cool but mercifully dry. With the wind blowing from beyond the indoor school, the Mound must have been warmer than the grand stand balcony. The pitch was slow, making it hard work for the bowlers. The batsmen found it easier to survive than to attack. For his 128.

Barlow batted five hours 10 minutes. Having started by finding that not even a firm snick would run for four, he finished by finding that the well-timed drive or force would hardly do so either.

By the end of last season Barlow was having a job to hold his own in the Middlesex 2nd XI. Now, though, he knows he can still bat. He is the worthlest and keenest of cricketers. It was not until after lunch that he lost Slack, his opening partner, by then they had made 119 together. There are those who think that Slack, the left-handed St Vincentian, will finish up by going started for his case, and the started by finding that was a ward of the declaration. Had he wanted to try and contrive a finish he could hardly have afforded to bat much beyond the lunch interval. In the end he declded, not entirely characteristically, that Middlesex might as well bat out the day, so dead was the pitch and so slender their chance of getting Lancashire on the run. We are committed now, I am afraid, to what could be a last. No-ome – not even the best attack in the world – would have found wickets easy to come by. As it was,

shire seam bowlers who worked their way through the main

MORTHAMPTONSHIRE: First innings
"G Cook How to Malone ...
W Lariers How to Malone ...
P Willey not cot.
A J Lamb c Southern to Tremiett ...
R G Williams c Parks to Emery ...
D J Capel c Parks to Malone ...
D S Saete to Tremiett ...
R Shem C Cowley to Nicholas ...
N A Maslender to Melone ...
J A Carse not cot.

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-91, 2-76, 3-95, 4-102, 5-157, 6-198, 7-243, 8-284, BOWLR60: Emery 22-3-87-1; Islatone 27-6-93-4; Southern 15-9-12-0; Trenlett 20-10-29-2; Jacks 14-4-31-0; Consiny 11-9-30-0; Nicholan 9-0-30-1.

HAMPSHIRE: First incings
I Tremlett c Sharp b Steele.

Sharp b Griffeths
J Nichotas c Laridas b Mallender.
Jasty b Carse
Turner b Griffeths
E J Pocock low b Mallender
Condex Sharp b Carse

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-31, 2-89, 3-113, 4-133, 5-139, 6-144, 7-146, 8-157, 9-177, 10-177.

BOWLING.Carse 18-2-54-3; Griffiths 17-6-28 2; Stoole 17-11-21-2; Wiley 15-5-26-1; Mattender 15-5-22-2; Williams 4-0-14-0.

Trevor Chappell: recalled

and Sheffield Sheild", Chappell said

and helping bring back the Sheffield Shield to New South Wales

This is the biggest thrill apart from

Hampshire batting.

Carse shows another

side to his game

By Richard Streeton

readiley e sub b Simmons ...
W Gathing not out ...
Deutcher e Simmons b Allot
Tomlins I-b w b Jefferles ...
Emburey b Abrahama ...
I Downton not out ...
Idea (b4, I-b-w 6, w1, n-b5) Total (6 wids dec)

Barlow run out... | Stack |-b-w b Sim Radiey c sub b Sim W Gatting not out...

of hard work was Tomlins's wicket, given leg before on the front foot. Folley and O'Shaughnessy were the wrong pace to bowl anyone out - strictly military medium.

From time to time, when he threw the ball up, Simmons found it would turn. He bowled all afternoon, belying his 42 years. Abrahams fielded brilliantly.

Lively joust brought to abrupt end NORTHAMPTON: Northampton- authority from the start, made a NORTHAMPTON: Northamptonshire, with all second innings in hand, lead Hampshire, by 169 runs. Hampshire let themselves down with tentative batting at the county ground yesterday, and were all out tor 177, eight minutes from the close. After tea, Hampshire lost seven wickets for 44 runs in 95 Steele's left-arm spin was soon ried, and he had Tremlett caught behind with a ball that spun and

By Peter Marson

CARDIFF: Glamorgan, with nine first innings wickets in hand, are 263 runs behind Essex.

A grey day and a persistent drizzle meant that the weather forecasters were wrong, rain during the night and in the early morning here had been scheduled to clear off elsewhere by mid-morning. close. After tea, Hampshire lost seven wickets for 44 runs in 95 minutes. The avoidance of the follow-on soon became academic, though Cook will not decide until this morning whether to enforce it.

First thing, on a cool overcast day, William on a cool overcast day.

elsewhere by mid-morning.

We had been prepared, therefore, for a delayed start and in the circumstances a quarter of an hour seemed reasonable enough. Moreover, when Giamorgan began again at 36 for one the partnership between Hopkins and Selvy quickly-began to take on an interesting look. Lever came bounding in enthusiastically at one end and at the other

astically at one end and at the other, Phillip raced hopefully to the crease. Selvey had the temerity to offdrive Phillip to the boundary.

Fletcher felt obliged to summon Pringle to see what effect he might have. Alas, after half an hour this joust ended abruptly when more rain came sweeping in, and this led eventually to the abandonment of the match for the day at 5 o'clock. the match for the day at 5 o'clock. ESSEX: First innings \$25 for 5 dec (K W) Fletcher 151 not out, K S McEwen 107),

A Jones b Lever

A Jones b Lever

J A Hopkins not out

M W W Salvey not out

Extres (b 2, 1-b 1, n-b 4)

D A Francis, Javed Manded, C J C Rowe, R C Ontong, B J Lloyd, J G Thomas, 1E W Jones, A H Wilkins to bat. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-25. Bonus points (to data): Glamorgan 2. Umpires: W E Alley and k E Palmer.

Cambridge U v Kent KENT: First Innings 324 for 5 dec (N R Taylor 114, M R Berson 105).

R A Woolmer a Boyd-Mose b Policick 4
C J Taylor b Cotteres 103
W Johnson not out 103
W Johnson not out 4
Extress (1-5 2) 2

Total (2 wkts) ...

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-12, 2-22, 3-49, 4-51, 5-111, 8-118, 7-130, 8-139, 9-139, 10-140, 30WLRNS: DBey 13-8-21-3; Jarvis 11-2-5-1; Effson 13-3-3-2; Understood 9-3-19-0; Woolmer 7-3-13-3. Jerpires: C Cook and CT Spencer. Second XI competition

Old Traffort: Lancashine II. 271 for 5 dec. Northernptonshine II 259 for 7 dec. Edgbeston: Warwickshine II 182 (P R Other 85, P. Jarvis 5 for 47) and 54 for 1; Yorkshine II 327 (K sharp 81, S J Rhodes 66).

Oxford University provide only three of the Combined Universities' side which meets Kent in the Bension and Hedges Cup compe-TEAMER G P Ells (Ochrd), T S Curs (Ceird) R J Soyd-Moss (C, S P Henderson C, Capt), G Pathemathan (C), P G Robuck (C), J G Varey (O), C J G Boogert (C), M Culinan (O, widt), K I Hodgson (C) A J Polock (C), 12th man J Carr (O). GOLF

Boxall on a lonely route to the top

Severiano Ballesteros tirreatened to stop playing in the £56,000 French Open tournament, sponsored by Paco Rabanne, here yesterday, claiming that his concentration was being disturbed by an unruly crowd and photographers. However, Ballesteros managed to get his act together to share second place with Carl Mason on 68, one stroke behind the surprise leader. Richard Bouill, of Great Britain. Nick Fuldo, Manrico Bembridge, Magnus Person, of Sweden, and Churles Victor, of France, are on 69. Ballesteros lost his cool beside the fourth green. He had struck a fourth green. He had struck as wayward fairway wood at the 533 yards hole and the ball finished deep in a bush: it took him two alongary

in a busic it took him two annumy thrashes to free it.

It was a position destined to bring a threatening look to his latin face and a group of photographers felt the backlesh. The Spannerd angelly demanded that a manuful instruct the photographers to "stop taking pictures or I will stop playing goif."

The marshall were already pictures or I will stop playing goif."

The marshals were already struggling to keep the crowd behind the fairway ropen. Michael King, who was partnering Ballestarot, lost a ball at the first where, after consulting one marshal, he felt certain that it must have been picked up since it seemed to have landed on an adjoining fairway. King eventually took seven and in the circumstances he did well to finish in 70.

Bellestaroe's cuthurst had two.

Ballesteros's outburst had two effects. It brought order to the crowd and galvanized his game. There is no doubt that Ballesteros can step on the gas by getting himself into a state of intensity.

From 15 feet he holed to escape with a six at the fourth. At that time he was two over par but he bauled.

he was two over par but he bauled himself back to level at the turn with pirdies at the sixth and ninth from five and ten feet.

five and ten feet.

Ballesteros was now in full swing. He made birdies at all three of the par fives coming home and another at the short thirteenth where he hit a four-iron to eight feet. It brought him storming out of the pack.

Boxall, 22, a former England international player, came from nowhere to lead. He was the last player to finish the cause at La Boulie, by holing from two feet at the eighteenth for a birdie, he moved ahead.

He won his card to play on the circuit at last year's school and his 67, which included five birdies, represented his best round so far.

epresented his best round so far.

Bembridge overcame the bore-dom of a round which lasted almost five hours by watching the local bird life. A keen ornithologist, be noted hawfinches, firecrests and gold crests during the breaks between the shots but the birdies that mattered most to him were the three he extracted from his last four holes.

FIRST ROUND LEADERS: (38 unless stated): 671 R Boxall, 68: 8 Ballesteron (30), C Mason; 591 M Bernfuldge, N Falcio, M Pernson (5we), G Victor (Fr), The A Gertid (35), T Slectomann (US), D Jonesi, M King, H Horning (SA), D Footi (SA), Tri T Johnstone (Zin), B Logan, S Mertin, P Barber, I Palmer (SA), D J Boand (SA), D J Rossall, D Sheppard, P Berber, I Palmer (SA), D Goodman (US), R Drummond, M McLasn, G Potter, E Dessert (Fr), M Poxon, 8 Desseu (6), R Darrieumerlou (Fr).

Miss Flom in series of woes

By John Hennessy Golf Correspondent

Barbara Helbig is poised to follow the example of her compatriot, Bernard Langer, A German has yet to win a Women's Professional Golf Association tournament. Miss Helbig has forced her way into the lead in the Ford £20,000 event at Woburn and is playing well enough to stay there.

She returned a 76, one over par, in the 6,060-yard Duke's Course vesterday for a two-round total of 150 to lead by one stroke from Dale Reid (75) yesterday) and by two from another Scot, Catherine Panton (79), and the overnight leader, Cindy Flom, of the United States

Solidly as Miss Helbig played, she solidly as Miss Heinig played, she owes her position partly to a calamitious nine by Miss Flom at the par-five 15th (401 yards). At that point the American led by three strokes and when she unleashed a superb tee-shot a birdle four seemed her probable reward. But she hooked a three-iron just short and out of bounds. It would have been hetter had the hall travelled three better had the ball travelled three yards farther, for she was now overtaken by a series of disasters. From an unplayable lie she was unable to drop correctly and had

unable to drop correctly and had nowhere but a crater in which to place the ball. With one foot 12 mches higher than the other she first had an air shot with a four-iron and then moved it only inches at the second attempt. In due time she reached the green but seven strokes had evaporated with five contracts and she had to hole from four feet in the end to avoid double figures.

Apart from Miss Reid, her nearest rivals also finished shakity. Miss Helbig was well short of the 16th green with the wrong club, an eight-iron (she was bewildered by the change of wind direction), and she hooked into the trees at the 18th. There were few other

rather more depressingly. A hook into the trees at the 14th is an everpresent risk but to take three putts from 20 feet and 30 feet respectively at the 16th and 17th understandably reduced her spirits.
Miss Reid's 75 was the best round

of the day. Against the general run of experience she played her best golf coming in, with a collection of five fours in the last six holes. She is probably the longest hitter on the tour and only the 14th (474 yards) of the three long holes were outside her birdie range. At the other two she got home with either a one-iron of a

TWO.

SECOND ROUND: Leading scores (SB and Ireland unless stated; 150, B Helbig (WS) 74, 78, 151, D Raid 78,75; C Panton 73, 77; C Floor (US) 72, 28; 152, C Panton 73, 77; M Figuress-Dotti (Sp) 73, 82; 157, K Monaghan (US) 77, 80; J Former 78, 77; M Entrained Swe) 77, 80; J Former 78, 77; 186 S Moon (US) 78,80; J-Smith 80, 72; 187 S Machard 78, 81; 160, B Nulse 81, 78; S Machard (Aus) 81, 72; 181, M Marshall (US) 60, 81; S Crowcroft 81, 80; D Dowling 83, 76; V Marvin 81, 80.

New Zealand have something in reserve at the end

From Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondent, Dusseldor

The seventh World Team Cup competition, the official championship of the Association of Tennis Professionals has fullen into an entraordinary pattern in its beamfailty wooded setting on the road to Neanderthal The only teams sure of places in Sunday's semi-final round are Spain, the 1978 winners and New Zealand – who are competing for the first time and, as second reserves crept into the draw only because Argentina and Czeckoslovakia both dropped out.

For six days this tournament,

vakia both dropped out.

For six days this tournament, sponsored by Anbre Solaire, is played on an all-play all basis in two groups of four. Spain and New Zealand have both beams France and West Germany, the latter wild cards invited at the discretion of the organisers as distinct from the seven teams invited on merit. The Germans were admirably tenacious against, in turn, Spain (Manuel Orunta, Jose Higners) and New Zealand (Russell Simpson and Chris Lewis).

Advised by Jack Kramer, the first executive director of the ATP, the Nations' Cup (as it was then known) attracted hule amention when launched in Jamaica in 1975. But its revival, with a new format, at Dusseldorf in 1978, was the beginning of a remarkable success story. This charming slickly organized eight day team event, played at the same lovely location every year, was soon attracting crowds or more than 50,000 and gaining wide exposure on television. Among the players, it became one of the half-dozen most popular events

the half-dozen most popular events on the calendar.

The winning team will fly out of Düsseldorf with about £97,000, compared with £129,000 for the winners of the 59-nation world championship for the Davis Cup. But it was the concept of the World Team Cup that originally caused apprehension and offence to the Davis Cup organizers, the International Tennis Federation (ITF). The Davis Cup was in the doldrums at the time, and Düsseldorf was seen as a threat to its status—and to that of national selectors, because

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nations qualify for the World Tea
Cup on the basis of ATP rankings
without reference to selectors.
But the success of the World
Team Cup had a stimulating effect
on the ITF. The Davis Cup was
drastically reorganized with lavish
sponsorship and regained its
traditional status, Frightened no
longer, the ITF recognized the value
of the World Team Cup to termis as
a whole, and European tennis is a whole, and European tennis in particular. Since then, the ITF and the ATP have also had a marriage of convenience in the context of the grand prix circuit. The ATP is now so financially dependent on its older partner that, for the first time, there is a genuine chance that the ITF can gain control of professional tennis.

Among the enterprising features of the World Team Cup is its

Simpson: Week's star prize

the invitation.

The beneficiaries this week are Higneras, Wilander, Noah. Teltscher, Alexander Mayer, Gottfried and Edmondson, whose individual fees range from £11,613 to £3,226. The system's virtues are not impregnable, any more than King David's were but they do bring appearance money out into the open, make private negotiations less likely, and therefore deserve consideration by the grand prix council. the grand prix council.

Yesterday, Dumir Keretic Yesterday, Damir Kerche, Wao has Yugoslav parents and a Yugoslav coach (Nikola Pilic), crushed Simpson. But Lewis did the same to Peter Elter and in the soft stadows of evening Simpson and Lowis best two more Germans Andreas Maurer and Wolfgang Popp, in the doubles. Simpson takes the week's star prize, so far, because husded Yannick Noah to defeat on a greasy court.

in the other groups the United States, Australia, Sweden and Chile have all broken even in two table have all broken even in two ties. This odd situation owes much to the fact tha injuries ruled out Gene Mayer (US) and Peter McNamara (Australia and have so restricted Anders Jarryd – the obvious Swedish No 2 behind Mats Wilander – to one apperance in doubles, Jarryd is recovering from a doubles, Jarryd is recovering from a twisted ankle. These notes have contained no reference to Britain because they have not qualified gives 10.70

RED GROUP: United States best Australia 2-1 (IJS first): B Gottried and A Mayer loss to M Edmondson and P Casti. 6-7, 7-4, 4-5 (crossed over from previous day); West Germany lost to New Zealand 2-1 (Germany Strat): D -Keretic best R Simpson (RZ), 6-0, 6-2; P Ettor lost to C Lawis, 3-6, 0-6; A Masser and W Pope lost to Simpson and Lawis, 3-6, 5-7; Spain best France 3-0: M Crantes best D Bedel, 6-1, 7-6; J Higueras best Y Noch, 6-2, 6-1; Higueras and A Canonoz best Bell and B Fritz, 6-4, 6-3.



Lendl yields to youth

Ivan Lendl, concerned about his weekend, left his form behind and was beaten 6-2, 6-3 by Henri Leconte, a French teenager, in the thrid round of the Tournament of

Dallas. He took up the attack from the start, volleying well and showing an aggression which knocked the defending champion out of his stride.

When Leconte took the first set it

was regared that the surprise would stop there; but the French youth, encouraged by his success, sped to a won nine successive games.

At this stage Lendl, fighting desperately, saved three match points and went on to break Leconte for the first time for 2-5 and then reached 3-5. Then he panicked when Leconte was leading 30-0. He misjudged a return that was going out of court, played it back into the net and Leconte was at match toint

net and Leconte was at match point

Back with a vengeance

the Italian Women's Open Championship here yesterday.

Miss Horvath, aged 17, in action again after a four-month lay-off with a back injury, was too good for the world number 12 whose slogging baseline tactics failed. Nerves betrayed Miss Horvath at the start but she never looked back after breaking the Romanian's service for the second time to take the first set.

THERD ROUND: H Subove: (Cx) bt K Skromska (Cx) 6-2, 6-3; K Judeenint (Switz) bt P Cassile (US) 6-3, 6-3; K Hanald (US) bt I Buderove (Cx) 6-3, 6-1; L Arraya (Peru) bt Y Vermeek (SA) 6-4, 6-4; K Horveth (US) bt V Rusch (Poru) 7-6, 6-1; A Temesvent (Flung) bt M Maleove (Bull) 6-2, 6-0.

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B Dylis (Aus) bt S Antiertic (US) 6-2, 1-8, 8-4;

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CRICKET County championship (11.0-5.30 Ortology CARDRP: Glamonpan v Essex SRISTOL: Gloucestershire v Survey LECESTER: Lalcostershire v Derbyshire LORO'S Middlesex v Lancasthire NORTHAMPTON: Northamptonshire v Ha

Stire TAUNTON: Summed v Worsedershire HOVE: Sussex v Notlinghamehire HEADINGLEY: Yorkshire v Warwickshire Other match: Second X1 Championship: OLD TRAFFORD: Lanceshire v No.

Ivan Lendi, concerned about his verbal exchanges with John McEaros in the WCT final in Dallas last weekend, left his form behind and was beaten 6-2, 6-3 by Henri Leconte, a French teenager, in the thrid round of the Tournament of Champions here in New York yesterday.

Leconte had obviously studied the way that McEnroe beat Lendi in Dallas. He took up the stack from

styles. Gerulaits is the powerhouse while the wily Dibbs prefers to play from the beseline, where he directs his shots with uncanny accuracy. Guillermo Vilas, of Argentina, regarded by many as the possible winner because of his clay court skills, had a spot of bother with Van Winitsky before winning 7-5, 6-2. It needed all his efforts to turn the match his way when Winitsky took a 5-2 lead in the first set.

SECOND ROUBID: S McCain, (US), bt W Fiberik, (Pol) 7-5, 7-5; P McNamee (Aus) bt L Stefank, (US) 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; J McEnnee (US) walload over J Velasco (SP) Scr. H Leconts (F1) bt MmArtinez (Sol) 6-4, 5-2; K Curren (SA) bt J Fillo (Chile) 7-5, 0-4, 6-2; G Vites (Arg) bt V Winnisty (US), 7-5, 6-2.
THIRD ROUND: V Gerulatie (US) bt E Dibba (US) 7-6, 8-4; H Leconts (F1) bt I Lendl (Czech), 6-2, 6-9.

A bad day for Britain

Perugia, (Renter) – Virginia
Ruzici, the top seed crashed 7-5, 6-1
against the unseeded American
Kathy Horvath in the third round of
the Italian Women's Open Championship here yesterday.

It was a day of gloom and
players in the West Warwickshire
hard court tournament at Solihull
yesterday. The two home survival yesterday. The two home survivors m the men's singles were smartly removed from the quarter-finals and only two British players are left in the last eight of the women's

WOMEN'S SINGLES: First round: K Moos (Neth) bt E Jones 6-3, 6-3; R Mentz (SA) bt K Frasher 6-2, 6-4; C Drury bt D Freemen (Aug) 3-6, 6-1, 6-1; A Altmanae (So) bt L Jacobs (SA) 6-4, 6-3; H Obson (Sws) bt J Warrings (Neth) 6-2, 6-4. SECORD ROUNC: M Stadel (US) bt Y Flu (Neth) 3-6, 6-3, 6-3; R Mentz (SA) bt C Drury 6-1, 6-3; A Gabriel (Bel) bt S Roku (Mex) 6-1, 5-4; S Walpole bt M Vandenore (Neth) 7-6, 6-1; S Graf (WG) bt D Jarrett 6-4, 6-3.

IN BRIEF

Apart from Miss Reid, her nearest rivals also finished shakily.

Miss Helbig was well short of the light middleweight champion, captains the British team at the European Championships in Paris the light middleweight champion, captains the British team at the European Championships in Paris hidge firw off with the British next week. An Olympic title next year is the aim of Adams, aged 24, who, after his spectacular triumph at the previous day as at the British Open last month, is expected to overcome strong holes.

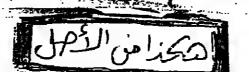
Miss Panton similarly dropped shots over the closing holes and rather more depressingly. A hook into the trees at the 14th is an ever-into the trees at the 15th and 15th bound seven weeks ago, but Bainbridge was summoned from Newcastle to London just over 24 hours before departure to replace the Cork oustitution lock Donal TEAM: Bartenbreight (under 58 kilos) P Middleton, Feetherweight (under 68 kilos) K Brown, Lightweight (under 71 kilos) C Bowles, Light Middle (under 78 kilos) N Adams, Middle (under 86 kilos) S Williams, Light heavy (under

TODAY'S FIXTURES

Kick-off 7.30 unless stated. Fourth division Stockport County v Port Vale CENTRAL LEAGUE: Second division: Port Vale v Derby (7.0); Shaffield Wednesday v ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE Telford v Reymo, th. SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Midband division: Redditch v Merthyr Tydfil.

RUGBY LEAGUE SECOND DIVISION: Pulsers v Cardiff City (at Chaisea FC, 7.45).

OTHER SPORT BOXING: ABA rational linels (Wemb! SOLF: WPGA Ford Classic (Worbur



Television say their offer is withdrawn

By Steart Jones, Football Correspondent

The BBC and ITV yesterday Mr Kelly admitted that "it is withdrew their offer of £5.4m to in the interests of both parties cover football on television next that we reach a successful season. The decision came conclusion and added that he immediately after the League hoped the new discussions club chairmen, meeting at the "could be arranged quickly, certainly within the next few days". It is clear, however, that but voted unanimously for the management committee to ball of contention deep inside television's territory.

renegotiate a new deal.

John Bromley, the head of sport at London Weekend, said: them proposed showing a total of 70 matches live, 62 in part and eight in full Jack Dunnett, the League president, replied for the chairmen. "We are prepared to constitute the second below. don't think we will get a deal. We are bitterly disappointed. This is the second kick in the teeth we have had from football. We have spent seven to accept the second half screening of four matches next season," he said. "If it is found to hurt the clubs concerned, months with people who cannot deliver and I don't want to spend another seven." Jonathan Martin, his counterpart at the BBC, said: "As of now the money is withdrawn and so is they want the option to end the our agreement on shirt sponsor-ship. We start with a clean

After seven months of little more than tactical talks, it is as though the two sides are still encamped in their own penalty areas. The gap between them remains significantly wide and as they enter extra-time, the need for them to meet in a centre circle of agreement is becoming increasingly concernalso offered a guarantee of £1m nobody knows much about is ing and urgent.

Increasingly concernalso offered a guarantee of £1m nobody knows much about is from overseas rights for match—the way to proceed."

the brink of triumph

Bennea go into the second leg of the UEFA cup final in Lisbon on May 18 only a goal down to Anderlecht and with every chance of taking the trophy for the first time.

The 'Belgians' who won the European Cup Winners' Cup: in-1976 and 1978, failed to capitalize: on the appropriate the second the appropriate of the app on the numerous chances they created in their 1-0 first leg win in

advantage in the return. They enjoyed a one-man advan-tage for the last 15 minutes after Benfica midfield player Jose Lata Silva was sent off but rarely showed the goal-scoring form which has taken them to the top of the Belgian

ANDERLECHT Murrarors Hoftsms, Peruzomic, Olsen, Degrooks, Frimers, Lozzeno, Coeck,
were autoens, Vandenbergh (sub, Gzernistyntell, Brotie,
BENFICA: Benzic, Pietra, Hamberto Coebho,
Seva, Scheu, Murraud, Chaiaru, Dannardho,
Abarca, Frederico (sub Lopez), Filipows (sub,
Reseal.



Kelly at yesterday's press conference

es screened abroad. The chair-men's opinion that the clubs should receive a larger share ran so strongly, according to Mr Kelly that they asked for it to be taken out of this agreement and dealt with as a seperate

In spite of the withdrawal of the offer, Mr Dunnett is still optimistic about the outcome. "On February 4 they said they could not allow shirt advertiz-ing but reason has compelled them to change their minds. We think we are reasonable people and hope that they will be

The television companies and hope that they will be insisted that shirt advertising should be no more than 16 square inches. Mr Kelly responded: "The chairmen feel of Orient, added; "What we are that that is totally unacceptable; with flexibility, a well-balanced." seeking is a two-year agreement with flexibility, a well-balanced The concession on the size was not significant enough. They package that has room for both want the same size as allowed in sides to make adjustments as Uefa matches, 32 square inches they see how the public react to for the name and 22 square limited, live football on tele-inches for a logo." vision. I think a controlled The television companies experiment in an area which

Benfica on United's disposition still unsettled

The BBC and IIV between

experiment.

The good and the bad news came
in roughly equal proportions for
Manchester United yestenday and
City where their forward, Steve
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May 21.

The welcome item of information
came from Jim McGregor, the
club's physiotherapist, who revealed only the fourth player to be twice
that Steve Coppell does, after all,
bave a chance of facing Brighton
and Hove Albion at Wembley.
Coppell stayed behind for treatment
on his knee injury when United
went to Majioca for a four-day

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Kinsey, has a hamistring injury that
may rule him out of tomorrow's
crucial visit to Brighton.
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Coppell: recovering

Enfield sticking their necks out

Enfield, who have only to draw at Runcom tomorrow to make certain nof the Alliance Premier League the odds were stacked heavily championship, will play the match against his side but plans to ensure that Maidstone beat Scarborough by the match that Maidstone beat Scarborough by the necessary margin. He has selected Ovard, a fourth forward, although the middle of the Northern League championship in impressive style last week when they

season.

Eddie McCluskey, the Enfield although he will be without Watson, captain of the England semi-processor that we're not the best defensive side in the league even at the best of times. We shall go to Runcorn and attack, because that's what we're best at I think everyone acknowledges that we're the best attacking side in the league."

Maidstone United, who have fought a meckand-neck race with Enfield all season, also play their league from the Alliance Primier league of Kidderminster Harriers and both chibs play their last matches of the season tomorrow. Leanington the season tomorrow to the season tomorrow. Leanington the season tomorrow to the season tomorrow to the season tomorrow. Leanington to the season tomorrow to the season tomorrow.

Blyth Sourians retained the Northern League championship in impressive style last week when they played their final match of the season at Tow Law Town, who at one stage were themselves in contention for the title. Blyth had to win to make sure of finishing above Whitby Town, and did so 9-1. Bob Scaife, the Whitby secretary watched his son, Bob score two of Blyth's goals.

Blyth's goals.
Peteries are champions of the newly-formed second division, from which Grema are also promoted.

Three clubs, West Auckland,
Durham City and Willington, are relegated, to leave 18 in the first division next season.

Phil Smith, the south Liverpool manager, is resigning at the end of the season and Brian Parkinson, his assistant and goalkeeper, is to join Marine as a player.

YACHTING

Jeantot rules the waves By Barry Pickthall

Sunday promises to be a great day for Philippe Jeantot, now leading the ten-strong BOC fleet towards the Newport. Innish line on the final stage of this 27,000 mile single handed round the world race.

It now looks a stong possibility that the young oil rig diver from Concarneau. France, who has dominated this race from start to finish, will be combining his 31st the BOC Challenge Trophy and the \$50,000 prize money that goes to the first boat home on elapsed time.

Jeantot, and his 56ft cutter-rigged Credit Agricole, having built up an eleven-day lead over his nearest sydney to Rio. The overall honours rival during the three earlier legs of in this class for yachts up to 44ft in this race, has extended his advantage length is now expected to arrive early on Sunday.

A hundred miles astern of Reed, a great scrap is developing for third place on this final 3,500 leg from Rio de Janeiro between Richard Broadhead, of Britain, sailing the S2ft Perseverance of Medina and the Czechoslovak sailor Richard Konkilski aboard the 44ft Nike III.

Yesterday's Argos satellite position reports showed that the two yachts were exactly the same distance from Newport.

Konkolski is now likely to take Class II honours on this leg as he did on the third stage of this race from this race, has extended his advantage length is now expected to go to the Japanese sailor Yukoh Tada, who has drawn ahead of his American rival Francis Stokes this week.

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Singles hope for England

From Richard Eaton

England's hopes of a singles medal are suddenly and unexpectedly starting to rise. Three women came through to the last eight of the world championships in Copenhagen yesterday and no nation has more than that, which made up for the exit of the renaming two British men Kevin Jolly and Andy Goode, and the Welshman Phil Sutton. If was Sutton's girl friend. Jane

and the Weishman Phil Sution.

It was Sution's girl friend, Jane
Webster whose progress had
everybody on the edge of their seats
in the Brondby Hallen. She won 11-2,
11-7, 11-3 against Nettic Nielsen,
who won the German Open recently,
and was rewarded with a seeding
place, even though she lost to Miss
Webster in their only meeting this
season. Miss Webster missed two
points to win the first game, evoking,
reminders of her jittery me match
points against the Japanese Tokharin, in the the first round. After that,
she was steadier than the teenaged
Dane:

Dane:

This, too, was a surprise, because Miss Webster is probably the most unpredictable of the English women. She also regards herself these days as a doubles player. Her partner, None Perry with whom she is defending the world title, stalked into the middle of the stadium after the second game and hammered home in typically strident fashion, the need for consistency. "It's against my instincts, but I knew I had to do it," Miss Webster said. She now plays the second seed, Li Ling Wei, of China.

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second seed, Li Ling Wei, of Chima.

England's Noil Sally Podger who earned herself an 11-8 11-2 revenge victory for deleat a month ago by the Indian No1 seed. Zhang Ailing England's best hope of a medal is the placidly athletic Helen Troke, aged 18, the Commonwealth champion who best Yoshiko Yonetoura of Japan, 11-1, 11-6.

This, too, was a win that atomed for earlier defeats, but Miss Troke has improved so much that the seedings suggested she should do it. She plays Bok Sum Kim, the second Korean in cause a surprise by

Korean to cause a surprise by beating Kirsten Larsen the Dane beating Kirsten Larsen the Dane who won the Taiwan Open, and on Wednesday, beat the fourth seed, Zheng Lili of China. The other Korean, who caused the career of former world champion Lene Koppen to end with defeat beat Karen Bridge, 11-4, 6-11, 11-7 after a line call had uncharacteristically upper England's national champion when 6-4 ahead in the third game, england's officials were on their feet england's officials were on their fee to protest, but other than to relieve their feelings it did little good.

TABLE TENNIS

Prean can be proud

England's Carl Prean, who is aged only 15, came through his accound qualifying round match at the thirty-seventh world championships in Tokyo yesterday with great style. Although he was sluggish in winning his first game against Belgium's Thierry Cabrera 21-19, he quickened his pace to win the second 21-19 and unleashed the full power of his backhand drive in the third game, taking that by an astonishing 21-1.

MEMPS SENGLER: First qualifying round; John Bron (Scot) bt J-C Arelan (El Salvador) wo; Thomas (Wales) bt O Lieve (Sustemain) wo; John Higon (Eng) bt D Scotlini (Pern) wo.Second qualifying round; G Patino Eng) bt T Scotlini (Pern) bt N Thomas (Wales), 22-1, 23-19, 20-2, 21-19; C Prasm (Eng) bt T Cabrure (End), 21-19, 21-9, 21-1, 21-18 (Eng) bt J A Manufa (El Salvador) wo; D McDroy (Ecot) bt J A Manufa (El Salvador) wo; D McDroy (Ecot) bt J A Manufa (El Salvador) x (El T), 21-17, 21-18; J Bron (Scot) bt A Matalian (Lor), 21-16, 21-17, 21-18; J Bron (Scot) bt A Matalian (Lor), 21-15, 21-12, 21-9. Tailed qualifying round:

21-17, 21-18; J Bros (Scot) It A Matables (Lor), 21-15, 21-12, 21-9. Thield -gamBhigg sound: J Hilton (Engl bt M Wester (Switz), 21-17, 21-18, 22-94, 22-20; K Rodger (Scot) bt Torig (rang, 21-18, 21-14, 22-21; I Luprispins) (Typo) bt J Bros (Scot), 21-18, 21-17, 21-28, 17-21, 21-14; C Press (Scot), 21-18, 21-17, 21-22, 17-21, 21-14; C Press (Scot), 21-18, 21-17, 21-28, 21-11, 21-18, 21-18, 21-18, 21-18 resumbt J-O Westerner (Swell bt A Meetern (Egypt), 21-14, 21-10, 21-14, 21-15, 21-17, 21-18, 21-17, 21-29, 21-19, 21-14, 21-10, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-11, 21-14, 21-15, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-17, 21-18, 21-17, 21-17, 21-18, 21-17, 21-18, 21-17, 21-18, 21-17, 21-18,

CYCLING

Doyle returns to the amateur ranks

The British profressionals chosen for the Milk Race, which starts on May 22; have expressed doubts over their ability to be fully prepared for the race which comprises 12 stages and 1,057 miles, John Wilcockson

Tony Doyle, from Middlesex, the probable team leader, is so desperate for competition that he has entered an amateur 10-mile time trial in Kent monerow. There are only two exhaulted professional are only two scheduled professional races before the Milk Race. On Sunday, there is the Manchester shouzy, there is the mancheson grand prix, over 102 miles, then on May 15, the Professional Cucing Association are running a race of 125 miles in the Clee Hills, hire, to occupy a vacant date

Bill Nickson, who is hoping to have a wrist plaster removed on Monday, plans to ride the Clee Hills tace to prove his fitness. Another team member, Sid Barras, said: "We

Bolger's medal threat with Give

Racing Correspon

Thanks

A feature of the flat racing in Ireland this season has been not so much the dominance of the O'Brien stable which is predictable, but the success of horses trained by Jim Bolger. This can only be good for a sport in which competition matters

more than monopoly.

Today Bolger is spreading his
must and making a raid on the Easl
bookmakers Oaks Trial at Lingfield
with Give Thanks, who has already made a notable contribution to his haul this spring by winning at Navan and at Phoenix Park. It is not easy to analyse her performances but three things count in her favour. Firstly she is in good

in her havour, rinkly see is in good form; secondly she capes well with heavy ground, which will prevail at Lingfield. Thirdly, being by Relko and out of a Parthia mare, she is bred to stay a mile and a half without trouble. without trouble.

Bolger tried to win this race two
years ago with Condessa but the
gamble failed.

This time Give Thanks can make This time Give Thanks can make his journey worthwhile at the expense of Ghaiya, Road To The Top and Hardihostess, Road To The Top and Hardihostess are closely related; the former is by Shirley Heights, while the latter is a half aster to the same horse who won the Derby in 1978,

Road To The Top must have shown promise last summer because she started favourite for her only race at Ascot in July. Had Dick Hern's stable struck form, confidence behind her would be greater.

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Ghaiya won over a mile at
Goodwood last September. Lester
Piggott, who rode Tants to victory
in the corresponding race a year ago,
has been engaged to ride Ghaiya and
she could easily turn out to be the
main challenge to Give Thanks.

At Salisbury yesterday the
Stewards were in an unforgiving
mood for the second day in

Stewards were in an unforgiving mood for the second day in succession. On Wednesday they suspended Greville Starkie for six days for careless riding in the last race and yesterday Paul Cook received the same treatment (from May 14 to 19) for the same reason after an incident in the Dorset Handicap.

Riding Nothing Blue, Cook made no visible attempt to prevent his mount from hanging to his left and into Tropical Red, who was hampered badly while passing the one furiong marker. Indeed, it could be argued that Cook was lucky not to be deemed guilty of reckless riding for he kept his whip in his right hand throughout.

Cook's effort was to no avail

Cook's effort was to no avail because Nothing Blue was passed in the last 100 yards by Merely A Secret, on whom the apprentice, Nicky Howe, shone. Merely A Secret is trained by Peter Walwyn, Secret is trained by Peter Walwyn, who returned home contented after also watching Hawa Bladi, a grey colt he trains for Prince Faisal and Prince Khaled, run out an impressive winner of the third and last division of the Wincanton Maiden Stakes.

Maiden Stakes.
Walwyn's brother-in-law, Nick
Gaselee, made this a perfect day for
their family by winning the Fanst
Lager Handicap with E Mansour who, by humping as much as 9st 10lb to victory in this ground, recaptured his sparkle of Iwo casons ago.

STATEOF GOING: Lingfield: heavy, Stratford: soft, Sadgefield: heavy, Thirsic heavy, Batte soft, Market Resen; heavy. Hexhass: heavy, happoston Spin today.

RACING: OAKS TRIAL AT LINGFIELD

Reaping the rewards of growing up the Berry way

Lancashire, 104 acres of low-lying land reclaimed from the sea centuries ago. The ground is saturated by the recent torrential rain and casual water lies everywhere. You approach down a country lane winding its way from the M6 and the car lurches over bumpy road for the

These unlikely surroundings form the headquarters of Jack Berry, the man who has already saddled 17 winners this flat racing season, more than double the number trained by Henry Cecil and John Dunlop. His achievement has earned him the April award sponsored by Jack Daniel's Tennessee Whiskey.

Berry is a wiry 10st 7lb bundle of nervous energy with brown, darting eyes. His yard is immaculate. The trainer and his wife Io built most of the 56 stables themselves. "We used to start at 4 am in the summer," Berry says. "Jo would mix the concrete." Now he has all the modern aids including an all-weather gallop, an indoor school, horse-walker and starting stalls and in the tiny office a newly installed computer stores the information necessary to run this thriving business.

The reasons for his success quickly become apparent. A love of horses has dominated his life. He developed his acute sense of survival at an early age in the concrete jungle of Leeds, where he was born together with six brothers and sisters. But at 12 he ran away to Tadcaster.
"There was an old boy called Bob Tate. I used

to ride showjumping ponies for him. Then he bought a shop in Towton so I went too. I started working at Charlie Hall's stables as well. Then they came looking for me. I hid on a rooftop for two days until they went away."

Eventually a truce was called and the local authority and Berry's father Harry allowed the boy to stay, provided he went to school. The nearest was seven miles away. "I rode horses and mucked out in the morning. I then pedalled like med to set there in time and back for like mad to get there in time and back for evening stables. It was all right on Thursdays when the brewery lorry made its weekly visit. I'd hang on to the tailboard for a free ride home."

Thus Berry took the next step up his 46-year-old ladder. "I have always had a nose for business. I could have sold rice to a Chinaman in those days." On Saturdays he used to go wheeler-dealing in the local market. "I'd rent a cage for 6d. The stallkeepers used to let me have rabbits, kittens and puppies at an agreed price.
I'd often sold them at a profit in half an hour."

All the time he was learning about horses, the tools of his longed for trade.

A career as a jump jockey launched Berry into his profession. He broke his back twice and once. shattered his leg in five places during a 16-year period. Altogether he estimates he fractured 46 bones, "I once smashed three toes in the first" race at Market Rasen and rode in the remaining five. The doctors weren't so vigilant in those days. Stan Mellor said 'For God's sake give up, Jack, your blood-stained footprints all over the floor are making me feel queer. I hadn't noticed:
I was high on adrenalin. Life's all in the mind,
you know," he reflected, nailing a fundamental
truth which ultimatley separates the winners

from the losers.

Jack and Jo Berry make a formidable partnership, "I get all the limelight, but we've done it." During the long arduous years of the uphill climb life has always been fun. "Jimmy Fitzgerald Io and I once rode the fort Fitzgerald. Jo and I once rode the first, second and third in the Isle of Man Derby. We drank a bottle of champagne apiece on the way home including the pilot. But I drew the line when Jimmy took over the controls!"

Adrenalin, application, knowledge and sweat have driven the trainer relentlessly forward. But this is no fly-by-night story. "We've always had a few good horses. Duffle Coat, New City and Glenzier Lad were all useful chasers, before I decided to concentrate on the flat. And the bookmakers were left licking their wounds after Don't Mind, backed down from 12-1 to 15-2,

had won a two-year-old seller at Beverley by five lengths on June 10, 1976."

The excitement of sheer, blinding speed excites Berry. "I love two-year-olds and sprinters, All I want is winners, winners and

Remarkably, Berry's first winner on the flat, Casualty Hall, was bought by the owner in response to an advertisement in Horse and Hound, which said: "Guaranteed sound and sure" to win races". Berry says: "He was a savage sod. Dead sour and could be bite. But we sweetened him up." This story encapsulates the trainer's understanding of human and equine nature. It also highlights the ingenuity and resourcefulness of a man whose hard-earned knwledge and Yorkshire determination have transformed his. childhood dreams into adult reality. He is hungry without being greedy, ambitious but not overwhelmingly so. Jack Berry is here to stay.

Michael Seely

Lingfield Park

Draw advantage: high numbers best. Tote double: 3,30, 4,30. Trebie: 3.0, 4.0, 5.0.

Television (BBC2) 2.30, 3.0, 3.30 and 4.0 races] 2.30 WHEELERS' RESTAURANTS HANDICAP (3-y-o: £3,248: 6f) (7 2224-02 ANDROX LAD (D) (H.E. Shelk Hazza Din Zeyed Al Neheyan) M Blanchu

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7 904-2 BANMINSTAR (M Junyle) M Jens's 7-12 W Cerson
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32 SHADES OF BLUE (Cansewdon Consultants) 9-0
4 VAN EYCK (A Speekman) G Harwood 9-0
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TOTE: Whr. \$2.80. Piscer: \$2.40. £1.60, \$3.10. DF: \$14.90. CSF: \$24.38. W Wightman at Upham: "Ne, 14. "Neathol (5-1 tay, 1 ligh Pignown (7-1) 4th, 14 ran, 2m 16.73cec.

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OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS: Gold Cup Royal W Newnes (15-2) 1 Low Tide.

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1379- STAR OF SALFORD IT LAndrigar) J Long 5-7-17

1382- FIRM FOLHARITONS (B) (G Yasrow) M Hatchilfe 6-7-11

1390- MALLARD SONG (Dr A Jones) A Jones 9-7-10

1400- RAMO'S LADY (F Remiscien) A Bailey 4-7-10

1500- LANGLEY COURT (B Tyler) D Oughton 4-7-10

1519- SPANISH WAR (S Hodgen) R Voorspuy 7-7-8

1520- MSS BADDOLER (R Hodges) R Nodges 7-7-9

1520- ROYALTY MSS (A NEsves) A Neaves 4-7-9

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7-2 Lady Ever-So-Sure, 4 Scot Bennett, 9-2 Getting Plenty, 6 Firm Foundations, 8 Solarium nd Song, 10 Sweet Andy, 12 Fledge, 20 others. Lingfield selections

By Michael Phillips 2.30 Alakh. 3.0 Dancing Barron. 3.30 Give Thanks. 4.0 Two High. 4.30 High Hawk. 5.0 Firm Foundations.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent

2.30 Maninstar. 3.30 Hardihostess. 4.0 Ash King. 4.30 Sabhan. 5.0 Firm Foundations.

......B Crossley (8-1) 2G Dickie (9-4 fav) 3 TOTIE Wit: 55.10. Places: £1.80, £2.40, DF: £35.10. CSF: £54.90, £2.40, DF: £35.10. CSF: £54.90, £2.40, £2.40, £3.33. H. Candy at Wantage. 1-1, 81. Hawithorn Arch (14-1) 4th. 13 ren. 3 min. 18 sec. 5.0 (5.1) WINCANTON STAKES (Div III mails) 3-y-of: 21,896: 1m 21)

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Point-to-point results

STAKIS plc are pleased to amounce that

they have been granted a licence under The Gaming Act 1968 in respect of STAKIS REGENCY CLUB

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CLUB 61-66 Russell Square,

clar of Kidderminster Harriers and both chibe play their last matches of Scarborough. Maidstone will take the championship if they win by three goals and if Entield, who undoubtedly face the more difficult task, lose by one. Runcorn, who beat Enfield to the championship last year, can still finish third and have lost only once at home this season.

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WEDNESDAY'S. FOOTBALL LIEFA CUP: Finel, first leg: Antierlecht

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Rangers 1.

ALLIANCE PREIMER LEAGUE Boston United:

2. Barrow 1: Degenham 0. Bath 1: Weekinstone

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and Mitcham 1. Bogner Pagis 2: Harrow 4,

Bashop's Borritord 0. Second division:

Letchworth 2. Eastbourne United 1.

NORTHERN PRESIDER LEAGUE Methock 2.

Grantham 1. Postponed: Getsetsed v Hydo
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Bristol Rovers D.
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PRINGERS 2. DLYMPE COMPETITION:
Denmark 1. East Germany 2 (at Aarbus);
Frederd G. Potand 4 (at Hybrid);
RUNGARIAN CUP: Freder Upper Doern 3,

Real preparation

Real Madrid, Aberdeen's op-ponents in the final of the European Cup Winners' Cup in Gothenburg next Wednesday, took a bag stop-towards the final of the Spanish Cup-by crushing Sporting Gron 6-0 in the first leg of their semi-final, in Madrid on Wednesday. The other

the first leg of their semi-times, and Madrid on Wednesday. The other semi-dinal first leg between Barcelona and Real Sociedad takes place Matternal Response of the semi-distance of the semi-distanc

really need another stage race like the Scalink International. We will be only \$5 per cent ready for the start of the Milk Race in Bournemouth.

with inflation in most European

cities. This is particularly true of Brussels, where between 1976

and 1983 rents have actually

fallen by I per cent. Amsterdam

and Frankfurt have also experi-

But in Asia the reverse is

true. Singapore, for example,

has seen rents grow at four times the rate of inflation in the

last five years. And in the

principal office markets of

Australia rental growth has also exceeded inflation.

The overall cost of

prime space near

the Bank of England

costs nearly 15 per

cent more than

equivalent offices

in Manhattan

last two years increases have

Perhaps what is most surpris-

Rental Levels table is that it

the last survey was compiled. In

the very prime areas a new level

the point of conclusion at

various locations around the

to £55 a sq ft for their space. It

seems likely we shall see these higher costs reflected in Ellis's

The ICI Pension Fund has

forward-financed the whole of Ashville Properties' 53,000 sq ft first phase Wokingham indus-

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY

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next survey in the autumn.

For some office tenants it

been lower than inflation.

enced slow annual growth.

Britain's unpaid pugilism is as archaic as Corinth

And then there were two. Since And then there were two. Since the middle of October, when he returned from Brisbane with the most successful English amateur boxers in history, the national coach, Kevin Hickey, has watched the Commonwealth Games team disintegrate. Tonight, of the nine who won medals, only the smallest, light-flyweight John Lyon, and the biggest, heavyweight Harold Hylton, are left to contest the ABA ton, are left to contest the ABA championships at Wembley Arena.

The despondent Hickey, with just over a year to re-assemble a fighting unit for the Olympic Games in Los Angeles, describes the situation as tragic, the worst he has experienced

in his 11 years in the post.
Inevitably four members of the Brisbane team have turned pro-fessional, including the gold medal winners Chris Pyan and Jimmy Price. Two have retired and another, the middleweight, Nick Croomes, a serviceman, in in Northern Ireland, and unavailable.

While Hickey is resigned to the traditional difficulty of stemming the drain of talent into the professional ranks, he is concerned artitudes may have helped denude any Olympic prospects.

"You can't blame any of the lads who have turned pro. We're is a recession and some were out of work, Had we moved towards some system of broken time payments, as their refusal, for the fourth year, to they have in the United States, it send a team to the European might have made a difference, championships, which clash with Additionally, the same recession has forced the ABA to cut expenditure sored finals. Doubtless a trinket or on its international programme and two will be expected in Los Angeles squad training sessions, which but it is hard to see how they can be makes things less attractive for the obtained without the necessary

While there is hardly a more professional pursuit than boxing as witnessed on the Bruno bill at Hickey's, For instance, having seen Wembley on Tuesday, amateur his all-medal Commonwealth While there is hardly a more Wembley on Tuesday, amateur night at the same venue will be exactly that. Unlike many other night at the same venue will be Games team decimated, he is exactly that. Unlike many other exactly that, Unlike many other sports which accept financial compromises, the vested version the noble art remains about as close to ABC, London who, he says, "has

IN BRIEF

Admiral's

Cup entry

The Royal Ocean Racing Club has accepted challenges from 17 countries (including Britain) for the Admiral's Cup series which com-



Lyon: the fly still rears.

The ABA seem stubborn and short-sighted both in respect of

attitudes towards amateurism and obtained without the necessary international experience.

Olympics at risk for

July 27, John Nicholls writes.

Nominations for teams of three boats must be made by July 4.

Britain are the holders of the trophy, last held in 1981, when 16 teams

competed.

BOXING: The World Boxing Council (WBC) have said they will review a videotape of last Sunday's WBC world lightweight championship bout in Puerto Rico. They want to see whether the judges were correct to award Puerto Rico's Edwin Rosario a points decision over José Luis Ramirez, of Mexico. RUGBY UNION: Tim Barnwell, the Leicester wing who suffered head injuries during last Saturday's John Piayer Cup Final at Twickenham, is reported to be making good progress

CRICKET: Gloucestershire, who had expected to make a profit this

Southgate five

than both New York and Tokyo, the overall cost of occupying prime space close to the Bank of England rises to more than £50 a sq ft, almost 15

Confirmation that London is

maintaining its pole position in the world league of office costs

comes from the latest survey of

commercial rents. Although

rents in the City of London at

an average £30 a sq ft are lower

per cent more than for equiva-

London, unlike most other

major commercial centres, is

plagued by high rates and services charges. In the case of City tenants' rate and service

charges add a further 70 per

According to Richard Ellis, which publishes the report, it is

only Britain which suffers from

this particular disease. In

Glasgow, for example, the rent is less than half of a tenant's

In Glasgow, office rents are

on average only £6.75 a sq ft, but rates and service charges take the total occupancy bill to

£13.84 a sq ft. Even in London's West End a more reasonable

£22 a sq ft rent is boosted to an

occupance cost of £34.65 a sq ft after rates add an additional 40

per cent and service charges a further 17.5 per cent to the bill.

The only other world office

centre which comes close to

taxing tenants at a similar level

is Singapore, which levies a 30

Throughout Europe Ellis says

that rental trends appeared to

be static over the past six

months although the two cheap cities, Glasgow and Brussels, have been edging upwards during the last six months. In

comparison rents in Chicago and Houston have fallen over the past six months - with

Houston recording a substantial

20 per cent drop.

Despite folkiore to the contrary the Ellis International

rary the Ellis International Rent Index shows that since

1975 rents in real terms have

consistently failed to keep pace

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overall office costs.

come from nowhere." Hickey says that Douglas can "hit, box, and take a shot. He's got the lot." The trouble is, less altruistic eyes will also be sizing him up, and Hickey must hope that the potential star of tonight's show is willing to be hothoused for the Olympics and not tempted, as was Britain's most brilliant teenage amateur, Errol Christic, into the pro ting.

The Brisbane stalwarts, Lyon and Hylton, should both retain their ABA titles. It will be Lyon's fourth in succession, and Hylton again faces the man he knocked out in half a round last year, Horace Notice.

In the super-heavyweight division
the huge British Transport policeman, Guy Williamson, is expected to dethrone the current champi Keith Ferdinand, of the Royal Navy, and Liverpool's Kenny Willis, a carbon copy of his professional brother, Tony, should win the lightweight title.

If Hickey can recruit the nucleus of a reasonable Olympic team after Games themselves will be sufficient incentive to keep them together. But whether there will be the odd chord in Los Angeles reminiscent of Brisbane's triumphant anthem

American lined up for Gumbs

Roy Gumbs, the British and Commonwealth middleweight champion, warms up for the forthcoming defence of his British title with a 10 rounds contest against Jerry Holly, for Orlando, Florida, who has won 14 of his 23 bouts, at The Bloometers Commonwealth and the state of the state The Bloomsbury Crest Hotel, London on May 18.

The promoter Frank Warren had wanted to stage Gumb's title defence against Mark Kaylor this month after winning the right with a £20,500 purse offer but that has been put back to September as Kaylor took on a commitment against the American Bobby Wans at short notice on Tuesday.

Another crisis has arisen in England's preparation for the Emopean Cup Competition in the withdrawal of five Southgate into trouble but we had priority and it is players from the training weekend starting today at Bisham Abbey. They have declined the invitation in order to concentrate on the European club championship at The Hague from May 20 to 23.

The players concerned are: Batchelor, Craig, Dodds, Kerly and Spray but Duthle the sixth member of the Southgate contingent may, on the advice of the England manager, Colin Whalley, have had second thoughts and could in the end report at Bisham Abbey for training. Last October these six Southgate players were among the 11 who withdrew from the England party in order to training with the Creat Britain squad, but this impasse was later resolved.

Clive Chapman, the chairman of Another crisis has arisen in expressed grave disappointment

from the England party in order to start training with the Great Britain squad, but this impasse was later resolved.

Clive Chapman, the chairman of England's selection committee Ciympic Games,

The Hockey Association have meanwhile invited six other players for training, five to replace the Southgats comingent and one as a substitute for Steve Green, of Neston.

year, now anticipate a loss of around £50,000. NATIONAL HUNT RACING PROGRAMMES

Stratford

5.30 BRAILES CHASE (Div 1 novices: £1,544: 2m) (13 runners) 441 Late Night Extra 7-12-0 A Webb ppp Floshy's Pal 6-11-7

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Wooder Dream 10-7 R Millman 4
Worlingworth Way 10-7 A Webber
1-8 Bullring 3 Molfrette C A Webber 15-8 Bullring, 3 Morlington, 9-2 Tersus, 11-2 sinair Prince.

p20 Megic Formala (B) 5-12-3 .P Dewer 7 120 Carriero 5-12-2 P Nicholis 4 000 The Knife 5-11-3 Miles S Jernes 7 200 Alabema 5-11-4 M SEC.

25 p0p Eggington (8) 5-10-6

27 022 Tacova 5-10-5 Air Maccavan 7

28 p22 Petitistree 5-10-6 Jacova 5-t0-2

29 00p Wisemans Bridge 5-10-2

Wise Clarke 4-10-0 Sec Clarke 4-10-0 Genright

7.0 RODDY BAKER CHASE (Handicap: £2,152: 2m 6f) (17)

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22 0-pp Abbey Brig 9-19-0 Smith Eccles
23 pd2 Hobo 12-10-0 G Jones
24 1p2 Walnut Wooder 8-10-0 G Jones
27 013 Excelsion 8-10-0 M Hammond 4
4 42p Pancy Fellow 9-10-0 M Hammond 4
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5-2 Henry Kissinger, 7-2 Masterson, 11-2 Hobo, 7 Walnut Wonder. 7.30 BRAILES CHASE (Div II novices: £1,644; 2m) (13)

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6-4 Barrogil Castle, 3 Sem Smith, 5 Aldro, 8 Artec Charter.

föl Up And Down 8-11-8 ____R Rowe 000 Mr Lark 9-11-3 ____ G Moore 201 Beunders 9-11-3 ____ G Moore 201 Woodlands Lad 8-11-2 ___ P Serion 102 Ottorge Rhythm 7-11-1 ___ P Serion 102 Cottorge Rhythm 7-11-1 ___ P Secudemere 102 Affician Prices 8-10-10 ___ P Nicholis 4 003 Highway Sting 7-10-2 ___ P Modelands 1 Prizes 8-10-10 and Sting 7-10-2 C McRistrick 7 A Webber G Mollatrick 7 12 Dargi 7-10-0 — A Webber 12 Dargi 7-10-0 — M Madden, 140 Fresch Bob 9-10-0 — Mr Sharpe 4 150 Miss Pligrim 9-10-0 — Akshurst 4

8.30 OXHILL £1,783: 2m) (20) HURDLE (Handleap: 204 Moset 6-11-12 A Griffiths 7 900 Comedian 6-11-10 P Scudenford 900 See Pennant 7-11-7 R Crank 904 Just For The Crack 5-11-7

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day's meeting.

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> Jones Lang Wootton has let about 50,000 sq ft of warehouse accommodation to tobacco manufacturers Philip Morris in a development close to Brussels airport. The warehouse forms part of a 160,000 sq ft development at Zaventem which is owned by the Philips Pension Fund. This is the second major letting JLW has concluded on the site; earlier this year a big Japanese company leased space in the development. Asking rents are around BF 1,300 a sq metre a

Allied Irish Bank has sublet Ellis warns, however, that in the Far East and South Africa more than 8,000 so ft in part of its Old Jewry building to rental levels appear to have peaked since 1980 and over the Manufacturers Hanover at a rent of £25 a sq ft. Allied Irish has only just leased 19,000 sq ft in the block at 11 Old Jewry for a rent of just over £20 a sq ft. ing about Ellis's latest World Baker Harris Saunders acted for the bank and St Quintin represented the owners, does not record any upward movement in City rents since National Provident and the Rhodes Trust Richard Main & Co advised Manufacturers of at least £32 a sq ft is being established with agents' gossip predicting even higher deals on

The one million shares national income Properties'
London flotation will give individuals the chance to invest would seem that the total occupation costs figure of £51 a sq ft is already outdated as they are finding the bill edging closer in a bouyant sector of the US property market. IIP is a subsidiary of the Australianbased Lend Lease Corporation which has been developing property "down under" since the late 1950s.

A further one million shares are being placed with insti-tutions, some of whom are already investors in IIP. These include the ICI Pension Fund.

which are being earmarked for private investors through International income Properties' for £3.3m. Joint letting agents are DE & J Levy and Michael London flotation will give Laurie & Partners.

further shopping mail. It would appear that IIP, under the chairmanship of Mr Gerard Dusseldorp (an expatri-

IIP has a stake in four well warehouse buildings in North established shopping centres in the US and it plans to use the proceeds, about \$17m, to buy a reversionary potential and a strong income stream. By avoiding new developments HP reduces risk to a minimum and immediately takes advantage of ate Dutchman) has the right existing rents to judge how strategy. For the time being the much to spend on upgrading investment vehicle is ignoring and extending the shopping the temptation to buy office or centres.

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frequent question put to motoring journalists is "what car should I buy?". Individual likes and dislides,

number in family, budget restric-

tions, type of journeys, size of

garage ... the list of data required

before even attempting an answer is

But occasionally a car meets your

personal requirements so perfectly

that you tell all your friends about it

and even feel put out when they

receive the news with less than

the mid-range model in the nevamped 3-series which went on

Ther was considerable disap-pointment when the Munich company made only minor changes

to the shape giving it a less chubby look than its predecessor. At a time when competitors like Audi and

Ford are producing more eye-catch-

ing aerodynamically efficience machinery, BMW has made only small gains in drag efficiency for the new 3-series but BMW insists that it wants to retains its distinctive

appearance and, m any event, the

rewards are much greater for concentrating on what goes under

The biggest improvement is the

Such a car is the new BMW 320i.

rapturous attention

sale here last month.

However, it should also be said that the amateur with a reasonable bent for liandling tools and with access to workshop manuals can save hundreds of pounds a year. He will also derive personal satisfaction from his own achievements.

Starting with a 1937. Austin Seven, I have attempted most jobs including complete engine and gearbox reconditioning. But I never had the advantage of the latest DIY aids such as the AA's new Car case-come-reading-stand, it covers offers up to five layers of illus-investigation he was then conduct-trations which peel off to show key ing. components in successive stages of

dismantling.
It costs £29.95 and while it can never convert a ham-fisted butcher into the complete mechanic, it will be a godsend to even half-competent tool wielders



The most feared and most be few drivers of the old 3-series

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who have not experienced a few

hairy moments on wet roads when the rear of the car broke away under

acceleration. It is still possible to

provoke a slide, but now the whole

car feel much more balanced and

The two litre, straight six engine

was already a by-word for its turbine-like smoothness. It appears

in bigger, more powerful form in other BMWs, but for my money the

320i's most endearing asset. Allied

to a new five speed gearbox with a slick change mechanism and higher ratios, it makes light of even the

Unfortunately, because of a lack of suitably mixed motoring con-

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31 mpg that points to something around 29 mpg as being well within more power lower down, it offers a 12 per cent improvement in fuel reach of most people and as much as 35 mpg for the growing number of "soft shoe" exponents. imption and seems quieter It is this ability to cover long distances at high speed behind a power unit that never raises its voice above a whisper that is the

Another bonus from the spring clean is an increase in the boot size and bigger front disc brakes.

Vital statistics

Wittel Statustics
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Price: 28,845
Engine: 1900 or 6 cylinder
Performance: Maximum speed 121.8 mph,
0-80 mph 10.1 seconds
Official consumption: Urben 23.7 mpg; 58
mph 45.6 mpg; and 75 mph 34.9 mpg.
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Cheaper or not?

Times readers are nothing if not persistent. Two months ago I reported that BMW (GB) was claiming that it was no longer cheaper for a British motorist to Maintenance Course. Ring-bound buy his new car in Belgium. Mr S. J. in a strongly made, plastic carrying. Nicholson, of Chiswick, London, wrote the next day to dispute the 260 British and foreign cars. claim and to say that he proposed Besides detailed instruction, it to back this with the result of an

> This week he kept his promise with a Belgian/UK price comparison of most of BMW's range. According to his figures the 320i shows a saving of £1,743 (20 per cent), the 520i £2,202 (21 per cent), the 520i £3,502 are cent). the 528i £3,155 (23 per cent), 635 CSi £4,589 (19 per cent) and 735i £3,647 (19 per cent).

Mr Nicholson points out that the Belgian list price is exclusive of VAT, which is not charged on cars purchased in Belgium for export. He has also used the exchange rate which is applicable to individuals transferring money to Belgium for private purchases.

However he does appear to have forgotten a few pertinent factors which make his figures less attractive: BMW charges a premium of about 8 per cent for right in buying right hand drive compo- built jobs and six weeks for kits.

nents for only 10 per cent of its OUTPUL

In addition, the Belgian specifi cation is well below the British. For instance the 520i sold here has a lockable glove box, electric exterior mirrors, tinted glass, a tachometer, adjustable steering and adjustable driving seat. And that BMW says accounts for another £236. Add £80 for the first two services which are free in Britain but not in Belgium and about £250 for the cost of collection and registration and on even my poor arithmetic that halves the saving to be made.

However as Mr Nicholson's figures were based on BMW prices in Belgium on March 11 and sterling has strenghtened consider-ably, since then, his evidence for buying your BMW in Belgium has also strengthened.

Multi-purpose

The Cortina may have been replaced by the trendy new Sierra, but its bits and pieces will figure prominently in kit cars for some time yet. The latest to use them i one of the most novel approaches yet. The Sherwood offers a choice of estate car, pick-up truck or van lay-out simply by switching bodies on the same chassis. The kit includes a massive steel chassis like the Land Rover's and a selection of fibre glass body panels.

The swop body system has been around for some time on trucks, but this is believed to be the first application for the ordinary motorist. The designer Mr Jim McIntyre also designed the Spartan two seater kit car of which more than 2,000 have been built in the past 10 years It was also based on Cortina running gear.

Factory-built Sherwoods start at £6,200 with a 1300 cc Cortina engine. The kit version to convert a standard Cortina costs £1,285 including VAT. A new company, Sherwood Universal Vehicles, has been formed to exploit the design attractive: BMW charges a pre-mium of about 8 per cent for right original Spartan Car Company at hand drive cars bought on the Kirkby Lane Works, Pinxton. Continent. It justifies this by Nottinghamshire. There is already a pointing to the extra cost involved six months waiting list for factory-

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3.55 Play School (see BBC2, 11.00am); 4.20 The New hmoo: cartoons (r); 4.40 Playhouse: the Russian tale of Ivan the Ninny, staring Michael Thomas (r); 5,10 Breakthrough: How Howard Florey and his group of Oxford scientists turned peniciliin into a safe, reliable medicine. The story is told by John Craven;

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7.30 Odd One Out: A competition discovering which word, picture or music clue is the odd one out. Amusingly chaired by Paul Daniels.

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murdered down-and-out. 10.15 The Isles of Scilly: They have been called The Fortunate Islands, and Andrew Cooper finds out why; 10.45 News

10.50 Amatuer Boxing: Harry Carpenter, at Wembley Arena, introduces the action in the George Wimpey Boxing Association Championships; 12.25 Weather prospects.

Tv-am 6.06 Daybreak (introduced by Gavin Scott), followed at 6.30 by Good Morning Britain (introduced by Lynda Berry and Nick Owen): News at 5.00, 6.15, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 3.00 and 8.11; Sport at 6.40, and 7.30; Local elections. analysis at 7.10 and 2.10; TV spot at 7.50; quest celebrity at 8.20; Money feature at 8.40 and Time of Your Life at 8.50;

Cookery spot with Michael Barry at 9.15; Closedown at -9.15.

ITV/LONDON:

9.30 For Schools: Port industries of For somewar Port Bridstries (Britain; 3.55 Snalis and scorpions; 10.15 Homes and families; 10.35 Everyday French; 10.58 Sexual

characteristics; 11.15 Ferming; 11.32 Bioydes; 11.44 Horses and hearing-impaired children. Topper's Tales: with the late Julian Orchard (f): 12.10

Rainbow; 12.30 Writers on Writing: Richard Hoggart interviews the novelist and

News from ITN; 1.20 Thames area news; 1.38 About Britain; Levenham: A visit to the delightful Suffolk village with the famous half-timbered

outloings and interesting

2.00 A Plus: The Chinese planist Fou Ts'ong talks about his recent visit to his mother

2.30 Filte: Young Wives! Tale (1951") The post-war housing

accommodation in this

couples to share

shortage forces two young

Greenwood, Nigel Patrick, Derek Farr and Helen Cherry, In a small role: Audrey

Children's ITV: Rainbow (r); 4.20 Portry Pig: 4.25 Animals in Action: Birds that cannot fly. With Keith Shackleton; 4.50

Frestime: We learn about a

youngsters' newspaper called The Daily Dinosaur, published

borough.

Make Me Laugh: Bernie. Winters and Barbara Windsor in a chuckle-raising contest.

5.45 News; 8.00 The 6 o'Clock Show: with Michael Aspel and

lively and newsy show.

Janet Street-Porter. A live

Family Fortunes: Quiz, with

the Boxes from Finedon,

Northants, taking on the

7.30 Halfeluight The Salvation Arm

comedy series, starring Thora Hird, continues with a story of a plan to halt dwindling

congregations by forming a band. Co-starring Patsy Rowlands and Rosamund

to a singer. With Jack Lord as Steve McGarrett

(by Robin Chapman) of the PO

mes detective yarn about

laboratory. Tonight, Daigliesh

(Roy Mersden) catches State Mawson (Flona Walker) in a ile. With Barry Foster and Andrew Ray. (See Choice)

struggle between Ken Livingstone, the GLC leader and Reg Freeson, over the Labour candidacy in Brent

John Bull Bitter London Pool Championships. Mattese Joe

Barbara, the favourite, plays

Michael Vokes, a first-round

10.30 The London Programme: The

11.00 Shoot Pool Further play in the

12.15 Close: Sian Phillips reads a

Browning poem.

10.00 News from ITN.

muddy waters at a forensic

8.00 Hawaii Five-O: Death threats

9.00 Death of an Expert Witness:

Joneses from Durrington, Witshire. The MC is Bob

playwright Susan Hill.

Roy Marsden: Death of an Expert Witness (TV, 9:00 pm)

BBC 2

Akuminium; 7.20 Quantum

6.05 Open University (until 8.10); Maths methods; 6.30 Chamistry detectives; 6.55

wave equation: 7.45

11.90 Play School: The Groggs' Day Out, by Roy and Anna Bentley; 11.25 Closedown.

2.15 Racing from Lingfield: We see the 2.30, 3.00, 3.30 (Esal Bookmakers Cake-Trial

Stakes), and the 4.00;

Closedown at 4.15.

5.10 Work, the New Discipline: Open University film about how new technology has affected Shaffield's metal

working trades (t); 5.35
Weekend Outlook: Some OU
programmes this weekend are
previewed. They include The
Plough and the Hoe (part 2).

5.40 Filter The Faicon and the Co-eds (1943). The Faicon (Torn Conway) investigates a death at a luxurious girls' school. With Jean Brooks, Rita

Corday. 6.45 Madhur Jaffrey's Iodian Cookery: Shahi Korma.

(from BBC 1).

Ludovic Kennedy.

winning crop.

8.35 Gardeners' World: From

7.10 News: with sub-titles for the hard of hearing.

7.15 Comic Roots: The comedian

7.50 Did You See ... ? Television forum, with Cathy Flower, Wandy Savage and James McClure discussing Inside China (Granada), Where There's Life (TV), and Death of Secret Appella)

of an Expert Witness (Anglia). And John Peel talks about

rock music on television. With

Oakdale, Gwent, Featuring Jack Simpkins they call him Jack the Carrott in the Sirhowy

crops of vegetables. Last year, he was voted number one allownent holder by Practical

Gardening magazine. He is now aiming for another prize-

King goes to Dallas and Fort Worth (in Texas) to Interview Julio Iglesias and Hall and Oates. He also visits theme

9.00 Entertainment USA: Jonathan

parks and country and

Moon and now finds the

his life on earth. Starring Michael J. Shannon who

9.30 Perfect Shadows: Derek

estern music bars.

Lister's play is about a US astronaut who went up to the

played Major Kim Kiley in the LWT serial We'll Meet Again.

Kate Harper plays the astronaute wife and Nicola

Hatch his daughter. (See

11,00 Newsnight: bulletins and in-depth comment.

11.50 The Old Grey Whistle Test:

Fun Boy Three (formerly of The Specials) in an entertainment recorded in

Hitchin, Herts, Ends at 12.35.

Gabrieli String Quartet, joined by Olga Hegedus and Kenneth Essex, play the Sextet in G major, Op 36.

Choice) 10.15 Brahms Plus One: The

Valley) who grows bumper

Les Dawson returns to the

Manchester stum of Collyhurst where he spent his early days

PERFECT SHADOWS (BBC 2, 9.30pm), Derek Lister's play is about an American astronaut who, having once walked on the Moon and blotted out the Earth with one hand. now finds that he can hardly put one foot in front of the other on his home sort of domestic or professional crisis. More to the point, Earth, in the shape of his masters at NASA, is now blotting him out. As I read it, Mr Lister's play is trying to say something much more profound about the human condition than that this is a tough world for earthbound spacemen who cannot find anything Down Here to equal the mary

CHOICE same token, heroes like Chuck Miller are unfit for a world which demands much more from a man that the mere capacity for being permanently Moonstruck. Forty-five minutes is too short a time for a play convincingly to resolve the kind of complex issues that Perfect Shadows raises, but it is an important play that needed to be DEATH OF AN EXPERT

WITNESS (ITV, 9.00pm), the murder yarn which Robin Chapman has adapted from the P D James book, continues to tease intelligently after an initial tendency to let its passions

get out of hand. It is now becoming

Radio 4

6.30 Today, Including 6.45° Prayer for the Day, 8.55, 7.55 Weather, 7.0, 8.9 Today's News, 7.25°, 8.25° Sport, 7.30, 8.30 News Headlines, 7.45° Thought for the Day, 8.35° Yesterday in Parliament, 8.50° Your Letters, 8.57° Weather, Travel,

9.08 News. 9.05 Desert Island Discs. A. N. Wilson, the writer.

11.00 News,

11.48 Bird Of The Week, 12.00 News

4.00 News. 4.02 Just After Four.

10.30 Morning Story: 'Same Time, Same Piace' by H. E. Bates. 10.45 Daily Service from St George's Church, Brandon Hill, Bristol.†

11.03 Heertsche Hotel. The story of a couple's dream to set up their

12.00 News. 12.02 You And Yours. 12.27 My Music.† 12.55 Weather; Travel; Programme

Naws.
1.00 The World At One: News.
1.40 The Archera.
1.55 Shipping Forecast.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour.
3.00 News.
3.02 Moonstone by Wikie Collins.
dramatised in six parts (Part 2).1.

6.00 News Briefing.. 6.10 Farming Today. 6.25 Shipping Forecast.

seen on our screens for a very long time.

● Jack Emery's short story THE ANOREXIC CUCKOO (Radio 3, 9.10pm), about a clock cuckoo whose failure to perform has a longterm impact on its frustrated owners is both funny and cruel, as well as being ultimately pathetic. Timothy West reads the story, and he accommodates all three moods with consummata ease.

Other radio highlights: The BBC Philharmonic concert (Radio 3, 7.10 and 8.10) with works by Prokofiev (Lieutenant Kijé suite), Tchaikovsky (Sheila Armstrong singing Tatiana's Letter Scene from Eugena Onegin) and the Mahler Symphony No 4.

4.10 Fit To Fty. Three Weish victims of the Thaidomide tragedy 1. 10 Story Time: The Bussian Interpreter by Michael Frayn (5).
5.00 PM: News Magazine.
5.50 Shipping Forecast.
5.55 Weather; Programme News.
6.00 The Six O'Clock News; Financial Report

Report.

6.30 Going Places. The world of travel and transport.

7.20 Pick UT The Week, Programme highlights.†
8.10 Profile. A personal portrait.
8.30 Any Cuestions?
9.15 Letter From America, by Asstate Cooke.
9.30 Kaleidoscope. Arts magazine.
9.59 Weather.
10.00 The World Toright: News.
10.35 Week Ending. A satishaal review of the week's news.†
11.00 A Book at Bedtime: The Handyman' by Penelope

Hendyman by Penelopa Mortimer (5).

11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
11.30 Today in Parliament.
11.45 Sound Archives. 12.00 News; weather. 12.15 Shipping Forecast; inshore Forecast.

ENGLAND VHF: As above except: 5.25-5.33sm Weather; Travel, 9.05-10.45 For Schools, 11.00 For Schools: Music 17.00 For Schools: Music Workshop, 71.30 Listen With Mother, 11.40-12.00 For Schools: Country Dancing Stage II, 1.55pm Listening Corner, 2.00-3.00 For Schools, 5.50-5.55 PM (continued), 11.00-12.00 Study on 4.

8.05 Nows
8.05 Morning Concert (continued)
Weber, Howells, Schubert,
Tippett; records
9.05 News
9.05 This Week's Composer (f)
Brahms; records, Includes the
Variations on the St Anthony
Charles and Samparte No. 2 in horale, and Serenade No 2 in Op 16 10.00 Malcolm Bilson (f) Forteplano recital: C. P. E. Bach,

Besthoven, Haydn
10.45 Massenet (f) records
11.20 Morlok and Norwich Triennial
Festival 1982 (f) Choral music;
Peter Aston, Tippett, Vaughan
Williams, Nicholas Maw, arr.
Hold

12.85 Chamber Orchestra of Europe ii) Concert. Part 1: Mozart, Stravinsky, Wagner

Radio 3

8.55 Weather 7.00 News 7.05 Morrang Concert (f) Wolf-Ferrari, Liszt, Rossini, Dvorak; records 8.00 News

1.05 Sk: Continents 1.20 Concert (f) Part 2: Beethoven 2.00 Baroque Music (f) Frescobaldi, Pietragrus, Bassani, Handel, Bononcini, attrib Vivaldi, Blow,

Percel
3.00 The British Symphony (f) Elgar,
Symphony No. 1; record
4.00 Choral Evensong (f) from
Geratord Cathedrel

Service Causada A
News
Mainly for Pleasure (†)
Music for Guitar (†) Nikita
Koshkin; Stepan Halk
Concert form Halifax (†) BBC
Philharmonic Orchestre. Part 1:
Prokofiev, Tchalkovsky
Poetry Now, New poems
Concert (†) Part 2: Mahler
The Anorecic Cuckoo by Jack
Emery

9.30 Opus One (f) Plano recital: Zemlinsky, Shostakovich, Berg Myzskovsky (†) Violin Concerto Op.44; record 10.05

10.45 The English Madrigal (f) William Byrd
11.15 News
News
WHF only - Open University
6.15 em Gibbon's Attack on
Christianity 6.35-8.55 From
Baroque to Classical 11.2011.40 pm Social Work

Radio 2

5.00mm Ray Moore.1 7.30 Terry Wogan.1 10.00 John Hosken.1 12.00pm Music While You Work.1 12.30 Gloria Hunniford, Including 2.2 Sports Desk.1 2.30 Ed Stewart, Including 3.2 Sports Desk.1 3.30 Racing from Lingfield.1 4.9

As London except: 1,20pm-1,30 News. 2,30-4,00 Film: Murder She Salo (Margaret Rutherford) Miss Marple thriller. 5.15-5.45 Gembl. 6,00-7,00

TVS

David Hamilton, including 4.2 ± 5.30 Sports Desk. 6.00 John Dunn, including 1 6.45 Sport and Classified Results (mt only). 7.28 Cricket Desk. 7.30 Take Your Partners in the Radio 2 Baltroom. 8.15 Friday Night is Music Night direct from the Hippodrome, Golders Green 9.30 Comediennes. 1 9.57 So)orts Desk. 1 10.00 The Random Jottings of Hinge and Brecket. 1 10.30 Brign Matthew presents Round Midnight (Stereo from midnight). 10.30 Racing Desk. 1.00am Night Owls. 1 2.00-5.00 Bill Rennells presents You and the Night and the Music. 1

Radio 1

Show. 7.00 Mike Read, 9.00 Simon Bates, 11.30 Mike Smith, including 12.30pm Newsabout, 2.00 Steve Wright, 4.30 Pater Powell's Select-a-Disc. 5.30 Newsbeat, 5.45 Roundtab Wright Tolling St. S. 45 Houndrame. 7.00 Andy Peebles. 12.00 The Friday Rock Show with Tommy Vance. 112.00 midnight Close. VHF Radios 1 and 2 5.00am with Radio 1. 12.00-5.60 with Radio 2.

WORLD SERVICE

6.00 Newsdesk. 7.00 World News. 7.09
Twenty-Four-Hours News Surreary. 7.30
Sing. Sing. Sing. 7.45 Merchant, Navy
Programms. 8.00 World News. 8.09
Reflections. 8.15 Parade. 8.30 Thirty Minute
Theatre. 8.00 World News. 8.09 Review of the
Shibir Prass. 8.16 The World Today. 8.30
Financial News. 8.40 Look Ahead. 8.45 Abum
Time. 10.15 Merchant News Programms. 11.00 British Prass. 8-15 The World Today. 9.30
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World News. 11.09 News About Britan. 11.15
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11.30 Meridian. 12.00 Radio Newsrael. 12.15
Jazz for the Asking. 12.45 Sports Roundup.
1.00 World News. 1.00 Twenty-Four Hours.
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Children. 12.00 World News. 12.09 Newshoot Efficient, 12.45 Serah and Company. 1.15
Outlook: News Summary. 1.45 Love and Mr. Lewisham. 200 World News. 2.09 Review of the British Press. 2.15 Newsork UK. 2.30
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REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

BBC 1

BBC WALES 12.57-1.80pm News. 3.53-3.55 News. \$.0-9.22 Wales Todey. 10.15-11.5 Come Out Come Out Wherever You Ars. 11.5-11.5 News. 11.5-11.25 ABA Finals, SCOTLAND 12.55-1.0 News. 8.0-8.22 Reporting Scotland. 10.15-10.45 Beechgrove Garden, 10.45-10.50 News. NORTHERN DELAND 13.15-10.50 News. NORTHERN DELAND 13.15-10.50 News. NORTHERN RELAND 11,19-11,40 Closedown. 12,57-1,0 News. 3,53-3,55 News. 6,0-6,22 Scene Around Stx. 10,15-10,45 Spotlight. 10,45-10,50 News. 12,25

News - ENGLAND 6.0-6.22 Regional News magazines. 10.15-10.45 East - Weekend. Midlands - Midlands Tonight. North - Bardeners Direct Libe. North - east - Coast to Coast. North west - Outlook. South - Don't Fence Me Id. South west - Mighter than the Sword. (Henry Willemson). West - Day Out.

Starts 2.20pm Stori Sbrl. 2.35 Interval. 3.35 Root and Branch. 4.90 Gardners' Calendar. 4.25 Old Country. 4.50 Ctwb S4C, 4.55 Pit-Pais. 5.00 Stri Celwydd Golau. 5.30 Loose Taik. 8.20 Countdown. 6.55 Gair Yn Ie Bryd. 7.00 Newyddion Saith. 7.30 Gororau. 8.00 Pobol y Cwm. 8.30 Y Byd Yn El Le. 9.05 Cheers. 8.30 Soap. 10.00 Film: Moonlighting (Jeremy Irons) Polish construction workers building a new life in Britain. 11.40 Jazz on Four. 12.35am. Gair Yn El Bryd. 12.40 Closedown.

TSW As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.00 Film: On the Buses (Reg Varney), TV comedy. 5.15-5.45
Emmendale Farm. 5.00 Today South
West, 5.30-7.00 What's Ahead. 8.00 8.00 Lou Grant. 10.35 Film: Hound of the
Baskervilles (Peter Cook, Dudley
Moore). Conan Doyle's tale dogged by
spoofers. 12.10am Postscript. 12.15 GRANADA

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30
Granada reports: 2.00 Film: Girl in the Headlines (lan Headry) Model is found murdered. 3.45-4.00 Shapes we tive in. 5.15 Beverly httblilles. 5.00 Make Me Laugh. 6.30-7.00 Granada reports. 8.00-9.00 Fail Guy, 10.30 9 to 5. 11.00 Friday Night. 11.45 Film: Killing Stone. Writer wrongly convicted of murder. 1.35 Closedown.

CENTRAL As London except: 1.20pm News. 1.30 Film: Bursny Leike is Missing, 3.30–4.00 Sons and Daughter. 6.00-7.00 News. 8.00-9.00 Fall Guy, 10.30 Film: Once is Not Enough (Kirk Douglas). The corruption of a film maker's daughter. 12.45em Closedown.

YORKSHIRE As London except 1.20pm-1.30 News.

Country singer is hunted by a killer. 3.55-4.00 Cartoon. 6.90-7.00 Calendar and-Sport. 8.00-9.90 Fall Guy. 11.15 Firm Death in Small Doses. 12.35 HTV

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.00 The Chisholms, 5.15-5.45 Young Doctors, 6.00 News, 6.30-7.00 Happy Days, 8.00-9.00 Fail Guy, 10.30 Report Edua, 11.00 Film Loving in the Rain (Romy Schneider), Mother fails for a mysterious Italian on holiday, 12.45am

HTV WALES

TYNE TEES

As London except: Starts 1.20pm-1.30 News and Lookaround. 2.30 Film: Operation Cupid. 3.55-4.00 TT Time. 5.15-5.45 Joanie Loves Chacht. 6.00 News. 6.02 Make Me Laugh. 6.30-7.00 Northern Life. 8.00-9.09 Fall Guy. 10.32 Friday Live. 12.00 Making a Living. 12.30 pm Three's Company. 12.35 Closedown. About Anglis. 8.00-8.00 Fell Guy. 10.30 9 to 5. 11.00 Members Only. 11.30 Film; Man Who Had Power Over Women (Rod Taylor) Telent scout with a weakness for women. 1.10em Celebration Bedford, Closedown.

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.00 Film: In Name Only. Marriage courselfors have problems of their own. 5.30-7.00 Friday Sportshow. 8.00-9.00 Fall Guy. 10.30 Newhart. 11.00 Film: Full Day's Work. Baker plans to avenge his son's execution by killing the jury. 12.35am Company, Closedown.

STV

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 Mews. 2.30 Trapper John. 3.30-4.00 Make Me Laugh. 5.15-5.45 Emmerdale Farm. 8.00 Scotland Today, 6.30 Sports Extra. 6.45-7.00 Here Here. 8.00-9.00 Fall Guy. 10.30 Ways and Means. 11.00 ? to 5. 11.30 Late Call. 11.35 City of Angels. 12.30em. Closedow.

BORDER

As London except: 1.20pni-1.30
News.2.30-4.00 Film; That's Your
Funeral (Bill Frazer) Comedy. Brash
newcomer undercuts a rival undertaker
6.00 Lookaround. 6.30-7.00 Bygones.
8.00-9.00 Felf Guy. 10.30 Look Who's
Talking. 11.00 Film: Killer in every
comer. Sudents become the unwitting
subject of exceptiments by a criminal
psychologist. 12.20am News. 12.23
Closedown.

CHANNEL

As London except: 1.20pm-1,30 News. 2,30-4.00 Film: On the Buses. TV cornedy. 5.15-5.45 Emmerdale Farm. 6.08 Chennel report. 6.30 Brady Busch. 6.55-7.00 What's on Where. 8.00-8.00 Lou Grant. 10.35 Film: Hounds of the Baskervilles. As TSW. 12.10am Closedown.

GRAMPIAN

As London exept: Starts 1.20pm-1.30 News, 2.30-4.00 Film: Never Mind the Quality, Feel the Width, TV cornedy on the big screen, 8.00-7.00 North Tonight, 8.00-9.00 Fall Guy, 10.30 Film: And Now the Screaming Starts (Peter Cushing). Bride is attacked by a severed hand. 12.15ara New. Closedown.

ULSTER

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30
Lunchtime, 2.30-4.00 Film: Last of the
Mohicans (Randolph Scott) Hawkeye
helps two British sattlers, 5.00 Good
Evening, Uster, 5.30-7.00 Two of Us.
8.00-9.00 Fall Guy, 10.30 Witness, 10.35
Film: I'm the Girl he Wants to Kill. Secretary working lates come face with a killer. 11.55 News.

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to ask whether it could accept the consignment of poisonous dioxin wasted from the Seveso chemical disaster which "disappeared" in France last autumn.

The approach was confirmed yesterday by the Foreign Office, which said it was made through the Italian Embassy last week on behalf of representatives of the Lombardy region of Italy, certainty where the explosion took place in 1976.

According to the Foreign Office, the Italians wanted to know wiich British firms had the capacity to destroy the dioxin. But no formal approach had been made by the Italian

Government.

The Foreign Office refused to give details of Britian's response, but referred to two statements by Mr Giles Shaw, the environment minister re-sponsible, in response to parliamentary questions. Mr Shaw described the 41 barrels of waste as "in principle" a most unwelcome import.

He said then that the Government had no trace of the waste having entered Britain. However, his replies were made on April 15 and 26, before the approach through the embassy

The disclosure coincided with renewed fears that the waste may still be bound for Britain, in the light of comments made by the Italian minister responsible for the environment in an interview with a Milan newspaper yester-

The Italian Government has Signor Loris Fortuna, the informally approached Britain Socialist Minister for Civil defence, told Il Giorno that the Government was looking for ways of disposing of the waste outside Italy and also outside France, because it did not want to spoil relations with France.

He added that Britain might be willing to take the barrels "they know how to destroy their contents with

Asked if a precise offer had been made, Signor Fortuna said the British Government had made known to the Italians certain "indiscretions" but was insisting that negotiations should be at an official level. The waste would not be treated like "contraband", he added.

Last night, the Department of the Environment could cast no light on Signor Fortuna's comments, but said that the main British firm which had the capacity to destroy the waste by incineration. Re-Chem in Southampton, had agreed to disclose any commercial ap-proach. It had not yet done so.

The department added that county councils and Customs and Excise were on watch for the dioxin. It was "fairly safe to assume" that notification pro-cedures for toxic wastes had worked and the dioxin had not been legally imported.

However, vesterday's disclosure will be regarded as significant as it appears to indicate that, despite much speculation to the contrary, the highly toxic Seveso waste had still not been

> was at Hever Castle that Anne All the expensive pieces in yesterday's sale, which have been at Hever since the first decade of the century, will require export licences if they are to leave the country. The Tower Armouries pieces which would undougtedly have been



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Mr Andropov's cracking form at question time

his general election campaign yesterday with a sparking performance at Prime Minister's question time.

He successfully used his famous skills as a communicator to impress both Mr Michael Foot and - rather surprisingly for so prominent an opponent of left-wing extremists - Mr Roy Jenkins. For both made clear their disapproval of Mrs Thatcher's unenthusiastic response to Mr Andropov's new proposals concerning missiles in Europe.

The proposals were timed to ensure a lively start to the press advertising campaign being launched by Mr Andropov's party during the elec-tion. But Mr Andropov's election campaign will be confined to Britain rather than extended to his native Soviet Union Russian voters may rest assured that they will not be inconvenienced by a snap June poll.

The Soviet Government has made it known that, whatever the temptations to cash in on Mr Andropov's commanding lead in the opinion polls, it intends to soldier on until the end of its term of office which, under Soviet electoral law, lasts until eternity. Mr Andro-pov is one leader who does not intend to cut and run.

By lannching his campaign now, Mr Andropov seemed to be in no doubt that Britain would be having a June poll, even though the incumbent whom he was trying to unseat, Mrs Thatcher, had still not announced it. This was another example of Mr Andropov's renowned foresight in prophological calculations. psophological calculations. Back home, he shows the same lack of doubt about the actual results of elections. He is the David Butier of Russia, with additional infallibility.

Mrs Thatcher arrived for her question time in a House which was finally exhaustd by these days of waiting, but nonetheless impatient at having to endure still more. It was a thin attendance, many members being dispersed around the local bustings Those who remained were slumped irritably across the open spaces, longing listlessly for the Prime Minister to end it all with a few words.

SDP, had the first question.

Mr Ymi Andropov openes from him an angry outburst. In fact, he was so angry that he had written the outburst down. "Is the right honourable lady aware," he asked, looking at his notes "that her decision to postpone telling this House whether or not there is going to be a general election until after she has had the chance to analyse the local election results shows clearly ... He paused, and further consulted

> In the House, if you are going to say that something is going to say that something is shown clearly, it is always best to say immediately what that something is. Delay can be fatal. Nearly everybody started laughing. Fortunately Mr Mitchell eventually found his place in his outburst.

What it showed clearly, we eventually learned from Mr Mischell, was that "she is the same as all the rest; a cynical person prepared to put party advantage before the good of the country.

Various Tories in marginal seats inwardly expressed the hope that Mr Mitchell was right. Mrs Thatcher dismissed the charge.

It was shortly afterwards that Mr Andropov made his first surprise gain with an average British floating voter: Mr Jenkins. The leader of the SDP complained that "Mr Andropov's limited but sig-nificant step forward appears to have been much more coolly received in London than in Washington or Nato headquarters? Would she be prepared to correct this impression?" Mrs Thatcher was

Mr Foot urged her "10 consider it afresh." And Mr Cavin Strang, a Labour back-bencher, spoke of "a significant Soviet concession". Mrs Thatcher insisted that it was totally wrong" of the Soviet Unioon to suggest, as it did in these new proposals, that Britain's determent of last resort - our submarine-based nuclear weapons - should be included in talks which left out Russia's comparable

Mr Andropov was already showing the sort of cracking form which had enbled his party to win every election since 1917. It was good to see the old campaigner bouncing back after his recent setback in

Chile cool on requests for RAF landings By Henry Stanhope, Diplomatic Correspondent

The British Government has twice asked Chile for per- of State at the Foreign Office mission to use its territory as a denied making any such restopover for aircraft flying to quest, while in Santiago himself the Falkland Islands, according last week.

to Senor Miguel Schweitzer, the Chilean Foreign Minister. It seems however that the Government in Santiago held out no hope of ending the need for the costly refuelling of RAF aircraft during the flight to and from Port Stanley.

Señor Schweitzer told a news

Mr Tam Dalyell, Labour MP

conference in Santiago that his
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Mr Tam Dalyell, Labour MP

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Meanwhile the Foreign Office last night continued to deny the suggestion that hopes of an early end to the Falklands War were dashed when the Argentine cruiser General Belgrano was torpedoed.

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Labour to formalize strategy on marginal seats

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all bought by Mr Howard

remaining in private hands.

and spectators.

a degree, therefore, it serves as a barometer of optimism about the outcome of the election.

mondsey, where the report notes laconically that there is "a Liberal presence".

Catergory "B" constituencies officials believe can be won. To and Liberals, including Ber-

For Labour to win the election, however, it would require the party to win or retain all its prime target constituencies and capture a sizeable chunk of the likely

candidates for success. The fact notes laconically that there is "a that Labour's people on the Liberal presence".

that Labour's people on the ground do nt rate the chances of winning such constituencies sufficiently high to put them in the "A" catergory list suggests that many rank and file activists believe the election is already

THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

Today's events

Royal engagements The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh visit St George's School,

Windsor, 3.

The Duke of Edinburgh, Patron and Trustee of The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Scheme, attends a meeting of the Trustees at Buckingham Palace, 11.30. New exhibitions

The Art of the Print traditional

ACROSS

1 Deputy shortly has to compete

9 Saw Jack - a splendid fellow! (6).

10 Bookmaker for whom love isn't

11 Film in which Clementine's

12 What artist's models do after

13 Start to plead for admission (5).

14 Announcer using public address

17 Silvan setting for TV studios

19 This driver for Rosinante? (5).

22 Seat for Bismarck in the

23 Last month one new team has

24 Scientific work on the subject of

25 Position of fencing I erect is

26 Country journalist going in all

27 In this bird the colour's sharp

2 Record one's lines as part of

Prize Crossword in The Times tomorrow

CONCISE CROSSWORD PAGE 8

es speedy discharge (5,4).

a gun-catch gets award (8).

made the final (8).

wrong (6).

directions (6).

father played a part (4,4).

with bereavement (8).

6 A horse to watch (6).

unusual? (8).

system (4,5).

today until May 28).

The Revival of Dutch Ceramics, Museum and Art Gallery, Chamber-lain Square, Birmingham, Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2 to 5; (ends

Jugs, Jars and Jollyboys: Tra-

repay itself (6).

workers (8.7).

another (7).

8 Regrettable squabble

London park (6.3).

islands by boat (8).

varieties? (4,5).

problem (7).

one hundred (7).

5 This offers food-value for some

6 London borough's talking non

7 One Mediterranean port or

13 Do ornithologists ring these

16 Sterne's corporal booked to the

18 For a painter sea-mist is

21 Harry's in South Dakota, it's

Solution of Puzzle No. 16,121

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He tempts us to record about

15 Engineer with bias is lying (9).

niques. E. M. Flint Gallery, dition in English pottery; The Most Lichfield Street, Walsall, Mon to Beautiful Art of England; Water-Special Friendship: Works acquired for the gallery with the sid The Friends: Whitworth Art Gallery, Whitworth park Manchester; Mon to Sat 10 to 5. Thurs 10 to 9, closed Photographs by Colin Baxter, Rozelle House, Rozelle Park, Ayr. Mon to Sat 11 to 5, Sun 2 to 5; (from today until May 24). 10 Sat 10 to 3, Imus to to 3, Good Sun; (all end tomorrow). Selected works by Richard Long. Arnolfini gallery, Narrow Quay, Bristol: Tues to Sat 11 to 8; closed Last chance to see

A Distant Prospect: Aerial photography from the past 125 years: impressions Gallery of Photography, 17 Colliergate, York: Tues to Sat 10 to 6, closed Sun and The Times Crossword Puzzle No. 16,122

> Music Concert by Kevock Choir, Usher Hall, Edinburgh, 7.30. Concert by Ciry of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra, Huddersfield Symphony Orche Town Hall, 7.30. Recital by staff of Leicestershire chool of Music, The Rowans, College Street, Leicester, 7.30.
>
> Concert by Hale Barns Festival Chorus and Chethams Brass

Ensemble, All Saints' Church, Hale Barns, Altrincham, Cheshire, 8. Talks, lectures The Knight and His Armour, by M. Brock, Royal Scottish fuseum. Chambers Street, Ediz-

orgh, 11. The Trandescant Family and the Foundation of the Ashmolean, by Arthur MacGregor, Ashmolean Museum, Oxford, 5.

Newark and Nottinghamshire Agricultural Show, The Show-ground, Winthorpe, Newark, Not-tinghamshire, 8.30 to 6 (today and

tomorrow).

A new gallery of Islamic art is opened today in the Ashmolean Museum, Oxford. It is named Mr Gerald Reitlinger, who gave the University of Oxford his Islamic collection. (Open Tues to Sat 10 to 4, Sun 2 to 4.)

Anniversaries

Births: Sigmand Freud, Pr ibor, Czechosovakia, 1856; Lais Drago, statesman, Buenos Aires, 1859; Stanley Morison, typographer and historian of The Times, Wanstead, Essex. 1889; Rudolph Valentino, Castellaneta, Italy, 1895. Deaths: Cornelius Jansen, theologian, Ypres, Belgium, 1638; Alexander von Humboldt, explorer and scientist, Berlin, 1859; Retward VII (reigned) Berlin. 1859; Raward VII (reigned Jan 22 1901-1910), London, 1910. 36 people were killed when the zeppelin Hindenberg exploded at Lakehurst, New Jersey, 1937.

Parliament today

mons (9.30): Private mempers' Bills: Solvent Abuse (Scotland) Bill, report Charities Bill, report Dog Licences (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill andf Age Discrimination Bill, second readings.

Lords (11): Private member's Bill: Parochial Charities (Neighbourhood Trusts) Bill, secondf reading.

Bond winner

The winning number in the Premium Savings Bonds monthly draw for May for £250,000 is 20RT 715946; the winner comes from the London Borough Kensington and Chelsea.

asparagus during the first week of May will probably be disappointed. the early crop so supplies are short. Prices range from £1.80 to £2.50 a lb. English and French spring cabbage at 15-30p a lb is wonderfully crisp; cauliflowers are

25-40p each, but look for small, tight heads - the flavour is better. tight heads - the flavour is better. Salad ingredients are becoming more plentifut English celery just coming in at 40-50p a head; supero quality English and Dutch hot-house tomatoes at 55-75p a lb; cucumbers getting cheaper with increased English supplies, 25-50p each. Safeway have a good display of Barlinka grapes at 54p a lb, which is under the average price. Spanish, Italian and Israeli strawberries are a good buy at 45-70p a half-pound

punnet.

Marks and Spencer's poultry.

display is hard to beat from poussinweighing just over a pound at £1.09
a lb to large chickens up to seven
pounds eight ounces at 83p a lb.

They also sell boned fresh turkey
breast with chestnut stuffing topped
with streaky bacon and trussed to
look like a large chicken at £1.70 per look like a large chicken at £1.70 per lo. For casseroles there are packs of ten chicken thighs at 89p a lb. Home-produced lamb is still expensive compared to other meat. Saleway are charging £2.39 for a whole leg but have New Zealand leg at £1.02 a lb. at £1.08 a lb.

Stamp Day

Today is National Stamp Day -the anniversary of the issue of the first postage stamp, the Penny Black, in 1840. An exhibition of Black, in 1840. An exhibition of stamps, including a display of George V high value stamps, known as "sea horses", opens today at the National Postal Museum, King Edward Building, King Edward Street, ECI. (Mon to Thurs 10 to 4.30, fri 10 to 4, antil June 17)

The pound

Bank Sells 1.80 26.60 28.40 79.75 Anstria Sch Belgium Fr Canada S 75.75 1.91 13.54 8.44 11.45 3.79 127.00 10.63 1.99 14.26 8.94 12.05 3.99 135.00 Finland Mkk France Fr Germany DM Greece Dr Hongkong S Ireland Pt 11,21 1.27. 1.20 2365.00 2255.00 Italy Lira Japan Yen Netherlands Gid 0.00 4,48 4.26 Portugal Esc South Africa Rd 1.84 -205.50 11.65 3.18 1.56 12.27 3.36 .1.63 USA \$ 12L00 Yugoslavia Dur Retail Price Index: 327.9. London: The FT Index closed up 5.2

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Roads

Closed westbound at Portsbridge (Junction 12) 9am to 9pm; diversions. A287: Temporary lights at Odiham, Hampshire. M11: Only most of the British Isles one lane open northbound from junction 6 to 7 (Harlow). Wales and West: A5: Temporary

lights on Holyhead to Betws-y-coed road at Llanfair, Gwynedd. A38: lane closures on Liskeard by-pass at Trago. M5: only hard shouder in use northbound at juncton 26 (Wellington).
Midlands and East Anglia: M54:

Lane closures on Telford by pass; diversion at junction 5. A429: Roadworks S of Wellesbourne, Warwickshire, from Loxley turn to Redhill Extensive delays due to Rednit Extensive delays due to readworks. A49/A456: temporary lights at Belmont island, Heriford.
North: A1: Readworks on Alnwick by-pass, Northumberland, over River Aln. A6119: Lane closures at Whitebirk Drive, Blackburn I specialists.

Blackburn, Lancashire, M6: Lane closures between Junctions 25 (A49 Wigsn) and junction 27 (A5209, Wigan/Standish), Greater Manchester.

chester.

M9: Lane closures between junctions 5 and 7 (Grangemouth and Kincardine)

The papers

Commenting on a current survey to find out how Londoners want to be policed, the Daily Mail says: "We will not be surprised if (Londoners) express a preference for more policemen on the beat, including more specials, who strengthen the critzens' links with the police and help with the ethnic problem because many immigrants enter their ranks." The Sun welcomes

Thatcher's commitment to rate reform: The basic evil of the rates is that they are based on bureaucratic convenience rather than the ability to pay. It would be fairer to finance local spending by a local sales or income tax, or aimply to introduce direct funding from the Exchequer, the paper adds.

Faster ways of dealing with drinking and driving come into effect today. As well as introduction of new breath machines, some legal loopholes which allowed drivers to escape conviction on technicalities have been closed.

Top films

Top box-office films in London (-) Tootsia (1) Sophie's Choice (2) Gandhi (3) The Wicked Lady (5) Local Hero 5 (-) The Geastmaster 7 (4) 10 to Midnight 8 (6) Heat and Dust 9 (7) An Officer and a Gentleman 10 (8) Tales of Ordinary Madness

The top five in the provided in Local Hero Gandhi

Weather A trough of low pressure in the W wil move slowly across

during the day. 6 am to midnight

London, SE, central S England, E Midlands: Cloudy, outbreaks of rain, soon becoming drier, sumy intervals; wind S, fight or moderate; max temp 17C (63F).

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East Anglia, E England: Cloudy, cutbreaks of rain, becoming brighter later, wind SE, fresh, veering S. fight or moderate later, max temp 17c (63F).

W Midlands, N Wales, late, of Man, Northern Ireland: Cloudy, outbreaks of Man, Northern Ireland: Cloudy, outbreaks of rain, soon becoming brighter and showery; wind SE, veering 8, moderate; max temp 17c (63F).
Chainnel Islands, SW England, S wales. Sunny intervals, showers, heavy in places, wind S. moderate; max temp 17c (63F).

NW, cent N England, Lake District, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Angrik Cloudy, rain, heavy in places, becoming brighter, showery later; wind SE, moderate; max temp 15c (59F).

NE England, Borders, Edinburgh, Dundee: Cloudy, rain, heavy in places, drying out later, clear intervals developing; wind SE, moderate or treeb; max temp 14c (57c) inland, 12c (54F) on coasts.

Aberdeen, Norsy-Firth, NE Scotland, Orkney, Shedland: Cloudy, rain, heavy at times; wind SE, fresh; max temp 11c (52F).

Central Hightands, NW, Scotland:

(S2P). Central Highlands, NW. Scotland: Cloudy, rain-heavy in places, becoming showery later, some clear infarrals, who SE, moderate or treatr, meo: temp 12C (S4C). Outlook for the weekend: Unsattled; log patches on coasts and inland overnight; temperatures mostly a little above normal.

SEA PASSAGES: 5' North Sea: Wind SE freeh, locally strong; sea moderate or rough. Strat. of Dover, English Channel (El: Wind S, moderate to fresh;

Charmer (Ele Wind S. Inchestes to press.) sea signit or moderate St George's Charmer, Irish Sea: Wind S treen or strong, sea moderate or rough. Sun rises: Sun sets: 5.25 am; 8.31 pm Moon rises: Moon set 3.37 am 12.57 pm

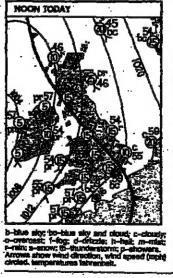
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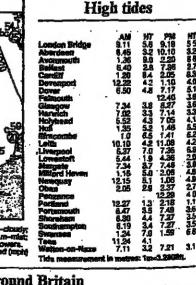
poion 9.01 per to 4.53 am istal 9.10 per to 5.03 am Saturgh 9.51 per to 4.47 am anchester 9.17 per to 4.54 am manues 9.18 per to 5.19 am Yesterday

London Yesterday: Temps max 8.am to 6 pm, 19C. (68F) min 6 pm to 6 am, 8C (48F). Humidiay 6 pm, 53 per cent. Raise 24tr to 6 pm, 0.05in. Sun: 24tr to 6 pm, 26. Bar; may see level, 6 pm, 1014.1 millions, taking.

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Around Britain

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